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1. INTRODUCTION.

The Land/Sea Breeze Experiment (LASBEX) was a field measurement program in the Salinas Valley of central California during the period 15-30 September 1987. Primary participants in the project included the Naval Environmental Prediction Research Facility (NEPRF), NOAA's Wave Propagation Laboratory (WPL), and the Naval Postgraduate School (NPS). While the catalyst for LASBEX was the need to validate the performance of WPL's 10.6 micron doppler lidar in the marine environment, the program was designed to address several scientific questions regarding the nature of the atmospheric boundary layer in the coastal environment (Intrieri, et al., 1989). These include (1) the nature of the land/sea breeze circulation, (2) the nature of small-scale internal circulations associated with the land and sea breezes, (3) the distribution of aerosols with respect to the sea breeze, and (4) the relation between gravity waves and the structure of the stable boundary layer.

Instrumentation systems employed in conjunction with the lidar measurements included three sodars (two of which were doppler), one radiosonde system, one rawinsonde system, and a number of surface meteorology systems. The surface data were collected both from systems which were deployed as part of LASBEX and from systems of opportunity, including local airport reports. The purpose of this report is to present the data which were collected from the surface systems and from the soundings during the two-week field measurement period.

2. THE FIELD MEASUREMENT PROGRAM

2.1 LASBEX Geography

Fig. 1 shows the geography of LASBEX. The field measurement program was centered in the mouth of the Salinas valley, which runs southeast from Monterey Bay in a direction approximately 140 deg. from north. Locations which had surface meteorology measurement systems which were formally deployed as part of LASBEX are indicated on the map as the lidar site, the three vertices of the sodar triangle, and the R/V Silver Prince. The other labeled locations provided routine surface meteorology measurements at intervals ranging from 8 s to 1 hr. Rawinsondes were launched from the R/V Silver Prince, which was on station during daylight hours. Radiosondes were also launched from the northern vertex of the sodar triangle (which was also designated the primary sodar site) on an irregular schedule which was coordinated with lidar observations.

2.2 Surface and Sounding Measurement Systems

The Naval Postgraduate School operated three surface measurement systems manufactured by the Coastal Climate Company, Ltd., which logged the wind vector, temperature, relative humidity, and pressure at 20 s intervals. The sensors used in the Coastal Climate Weatherpak systems include an R. M. Young Model 05103 wind monitor, a Rotronics MP-100 probe for temperature and relative humidity (shielded in a Gill multiplate free-flow radiation screen), and a Setra Model 270 barometer. These stations were located at the northern vertex of the sodar triangle, the lidar site, and aboard the R/V Silver Prince. Wind data from the Silver Prince have been adjusted for ship heading changes.

NEPRF contracted for the operation of three surface stations by the Berkeley Solar Group, one at each vertex of the sodar triangle. Sensors for these stations included Atmospheric Instrument Research Co. AIR-DB-1A pressure sensors, Met-One Model 024A propeller vanes for the wind vector, and Campbell Scientific Model 207 sensors for temperature and relative humidity. Table 1 lists the location, period of operation, sampling interval, and variables measured for each of these systems. Table 2 lists the same information for the stations of opportunity whose data are included in this report.

Sounding data were collected from the R/V Silver Prince for 10 days (28 soundings, including winds) during LASBEX and from the northern vertex of the sodar triangle (27 soundings) irregularly during the entire 15 day LASBEX measurement period. Aboard the R/V Silver Prince, NPS used the W-8000RP+ rawinsonde system manufactured by VIZ, Inc. This rawinsonde system comprises a standard rod thermistor, carbon hygistor, and aneroid cell/baroswitch for temperature, relative humidity, and pressure measurements respectively. The system sampled the sensors at an interval of 15 s. The 100-gram balloons were inflated to give approximately a 3 m s^{-1} rise rate, yielding a vertical resolution of 50 m. These sondes also received Loran-C time differences to produce profiles of the horizontal wind components. Rawinsondes were launched roughly every 2 hr from the Silver Prince, and observations extended to altitudes of 7-8 km.

The radiosonde system operated at the sodar site was an Airsonde system which used essentially the same sensor systems as the VIZ system. This system sampled at a more rapid rate of once per 5 s, however, yielding a vertical resolution of 10-15 m.

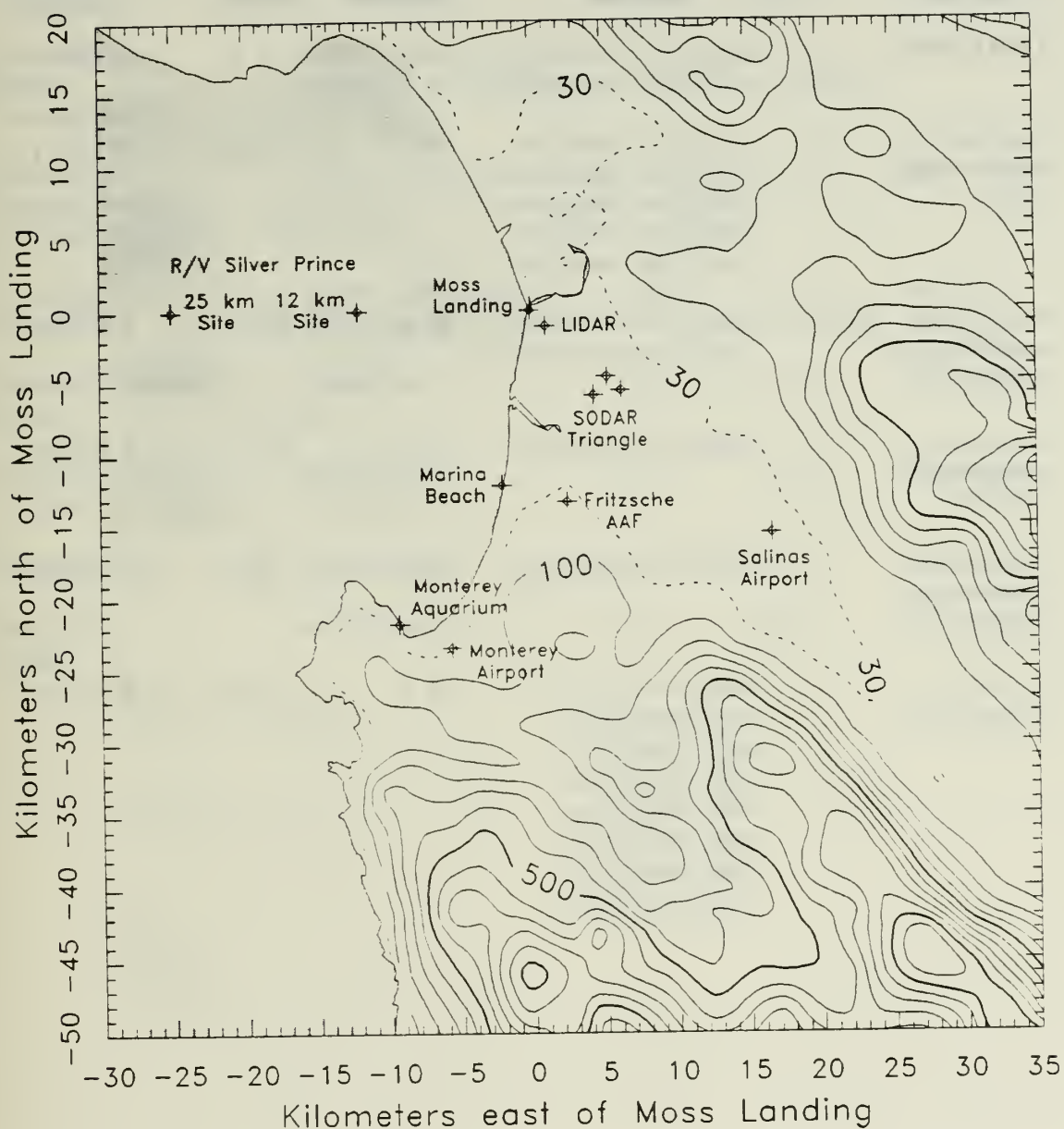


Figure 1. Locations of sounding launches and surface meteorology stations during LASBEX. Surface stations include stations of opportunity which were collecting routine data during the field measurement period. One station, Paso Robles Airport, is not shown because of its location approximately 150 km southeast of Moss Landing in the Salinas Valley. The general terrain elevation contour interval is 100 m, and the dashed contour indicates an elevation of 30 m.

Table 1. LASBEX surface meteorology systems. Meteorological variables are pressure (P), temperature (T), relative humidity (RH), and vector horizontal wind (V).

<u>Location</u>	<u>Periods of Operation</u>	<u>Sampling Interval</u>	<u>Elevation</u>	<u>Variables Measured</u>
Lidar (NPS)	2200 9/17--1600 9/21 1000 9/22--1000 9/30	20 s	12 m	P,T,RH,V
North vertex sodar triangle (NPS)	1100 9/17--1800 9/19 1000 9/22--0900 9/24 1600 9/24--1600 9/26 2200 9/26--0400 9/27 1500 9/28--1400 9/30	20 s	27 m	P,T,RH,V
North vertex sodar triangle (NEPRF)	1500 9/11--1600 9/28 1700 9/28--1100 9/30	20 s	27 m	P,T,RH,V
East vertex sodar triangle (NEPRF)	1500 9/11--1000 9/30	20 s	15 m	P,T,RH,V
West vertex sodar triangle (NEPRF)	1500 9/11--1000 9/30	20 s	8 m	P,T,RH,V
R/V Silver Prince (NPS)	0900--1400 9/16 1000--1600 9/18 0800--1600 9/22 1300--2000 9/23 1100--1600 9/24 0800--1600 9/25 1500--2000 9/28 1300--2000 9/29	20 s	5 m	P,T,RH,V

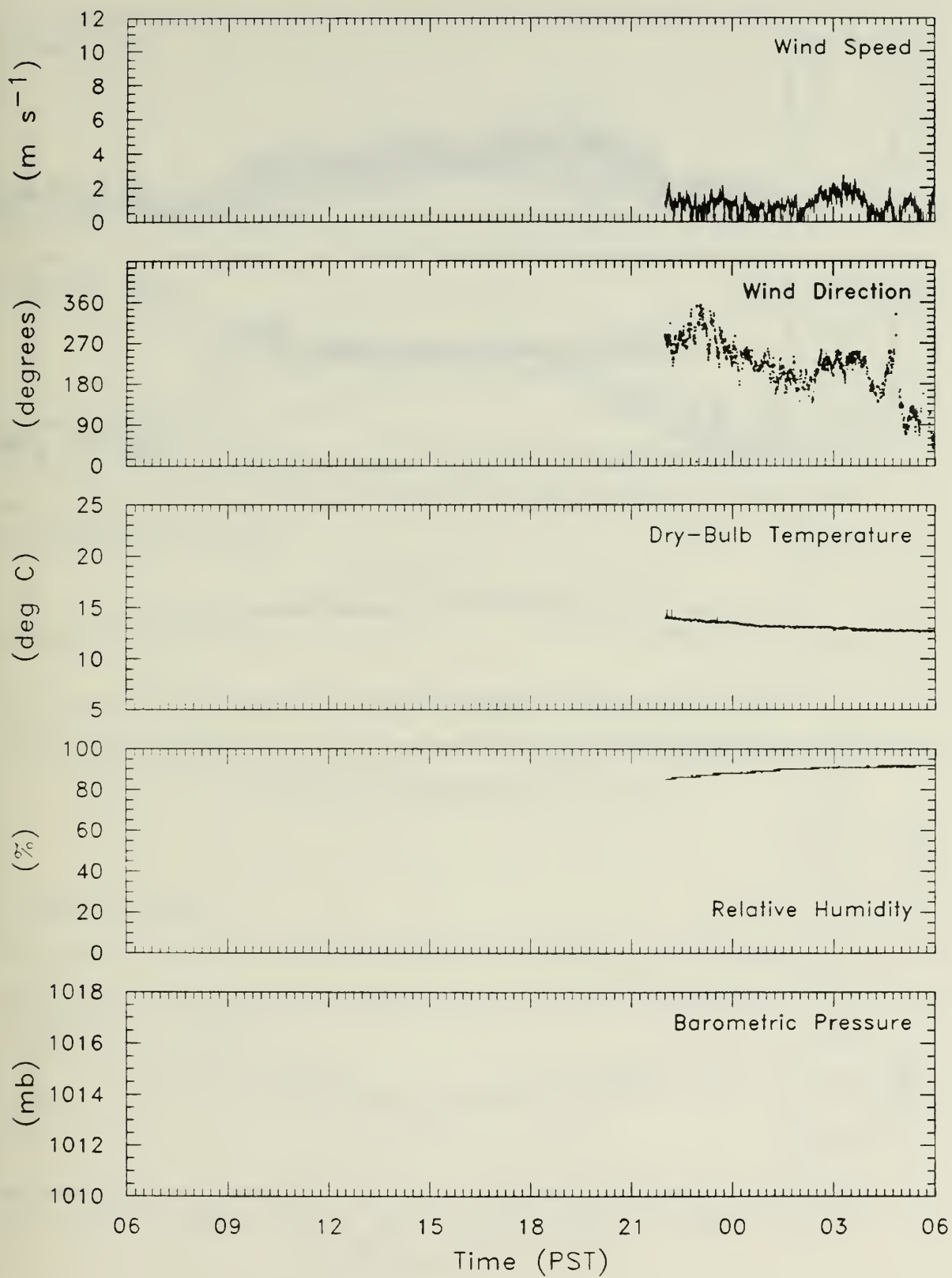
Table 2. Surface meteorology measurements of opportunity during LASBEX. Meteorological variables are pressure adjusted to sea level (PS), temperature (T), relative humidity (RH), vector horizontal wind (V), and shortwave irradiance (R).

<u>Location</u>	<u>Periods of Operation</u>	<u>Sampling Interval</u>	<u>Elevation</u>	<u>Variables Measured</u>
Moss Landing Marine Laboratories	Continuous except 0000 9/26 --1100 9/28	5 min	20 m 14 m (PS)	PS,T,V,R
Marina Beach (Scripps Institution of Oceanography)	Almost continuous	8 s	27 m	V
Monterey Bay Aquarium	Continuous beginning 1000 9/18	5 min	11 m 5.5 m (PS)	PS,T,V,R
Monterey Peninsula Airport	Intermittent	1 hr	67 m	PS,T,RH,V
Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord)	Intermittent	1 hr	41 m	PS,T,RH,V
Salinas Airport	Intermittent	1 hr	23 m	PS,T,RH,V
Paso Robles Airport	Intermittent	1 hr	249 m	PS,T,RH,V

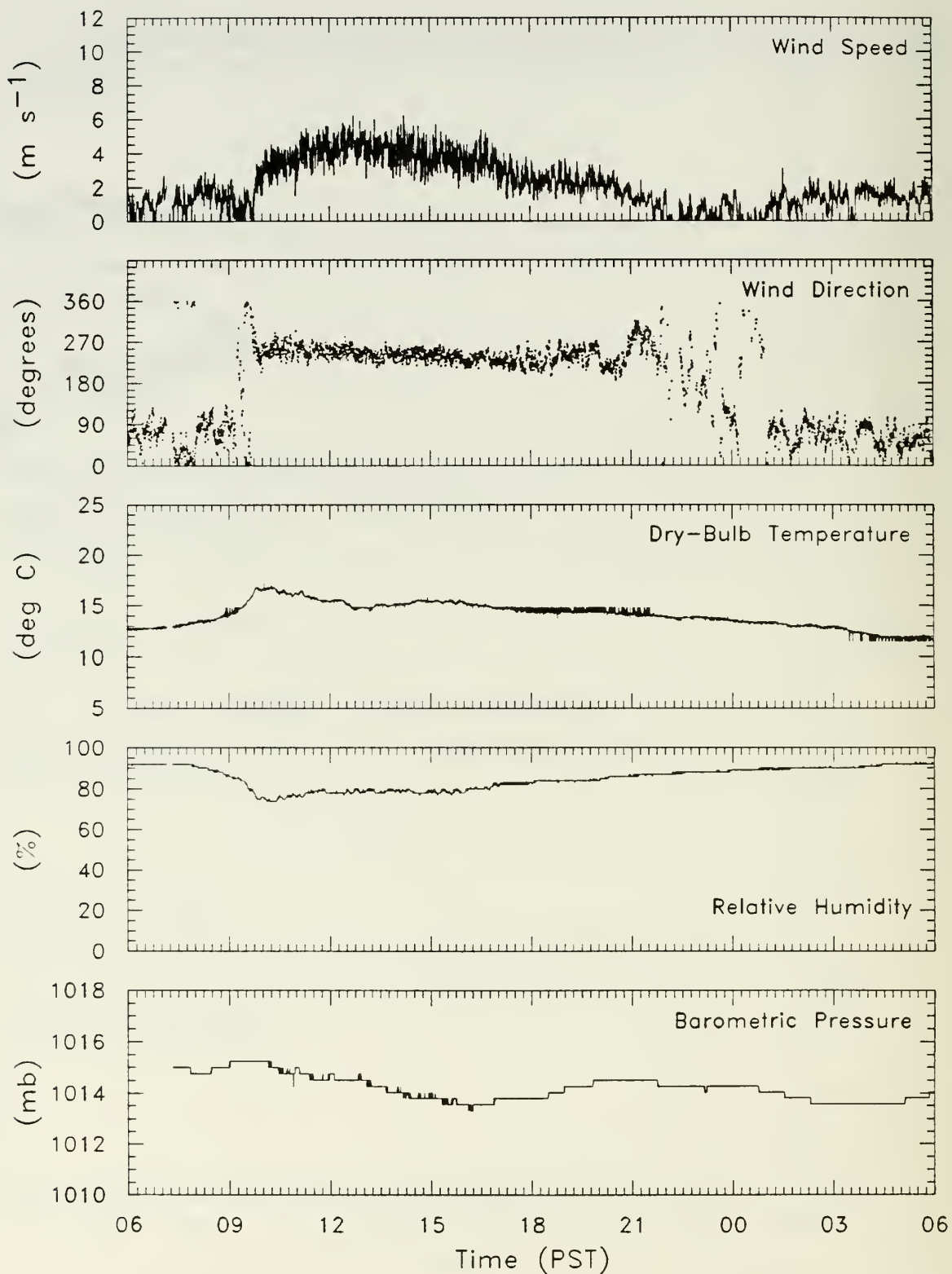
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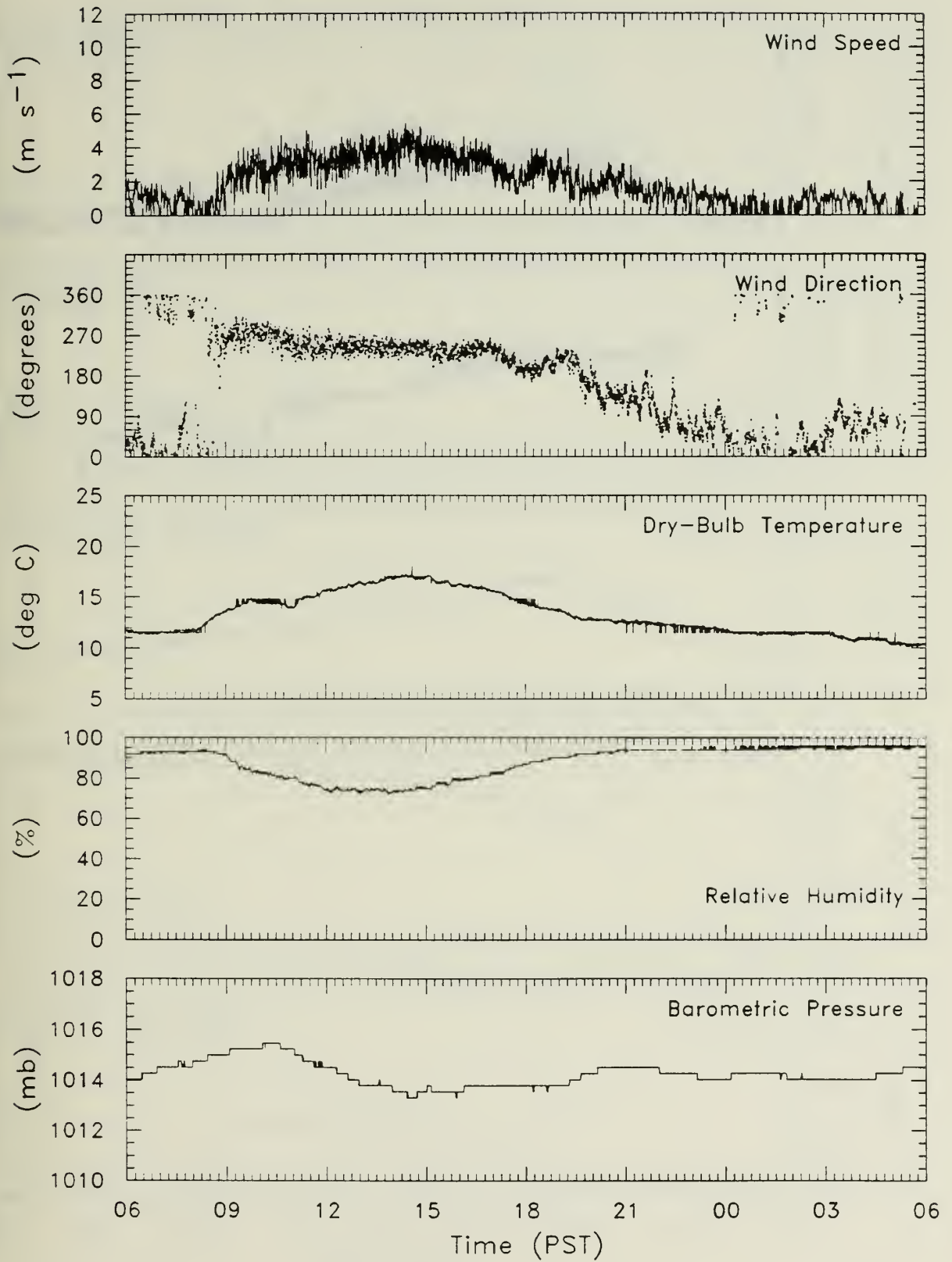
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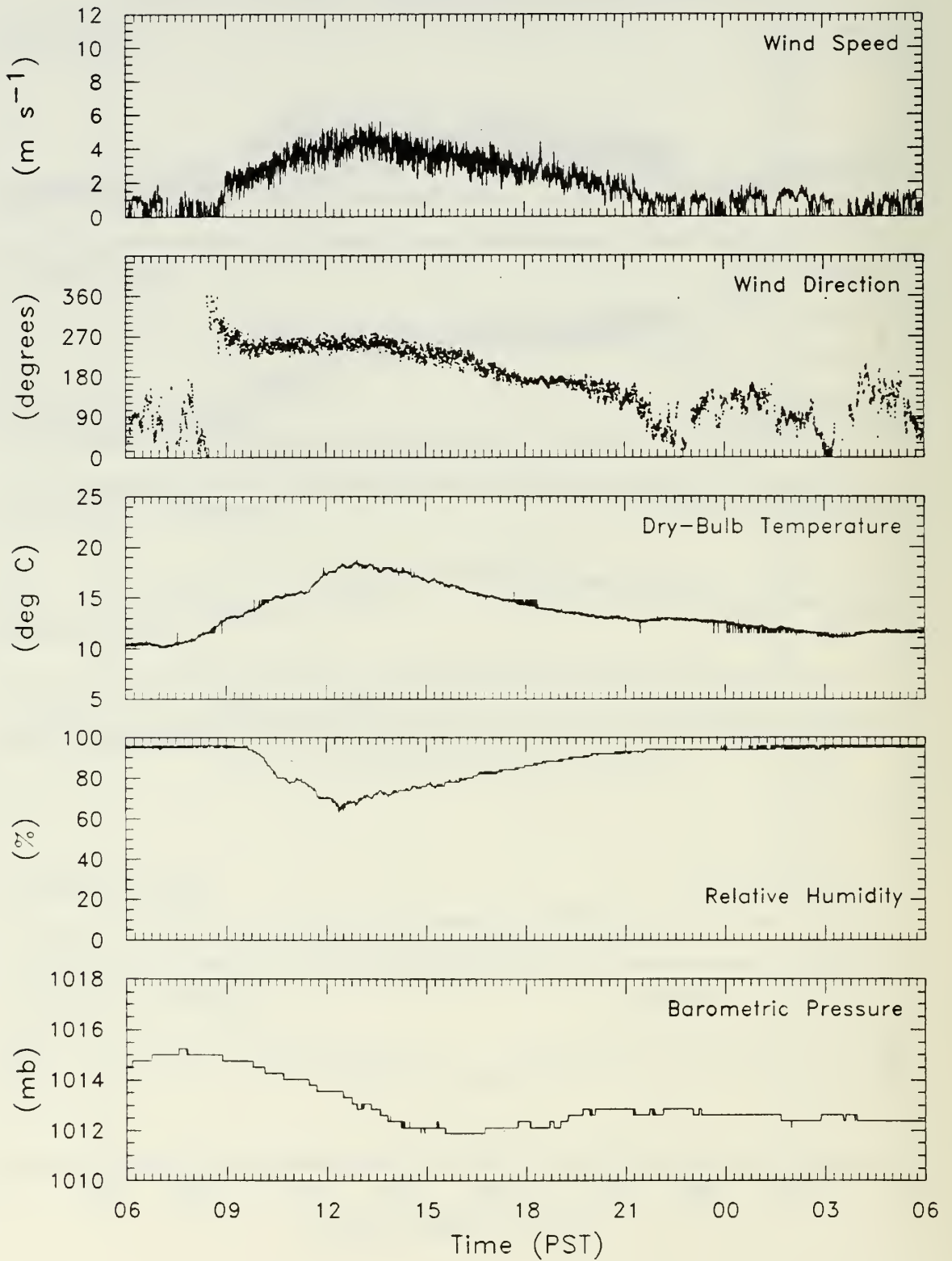
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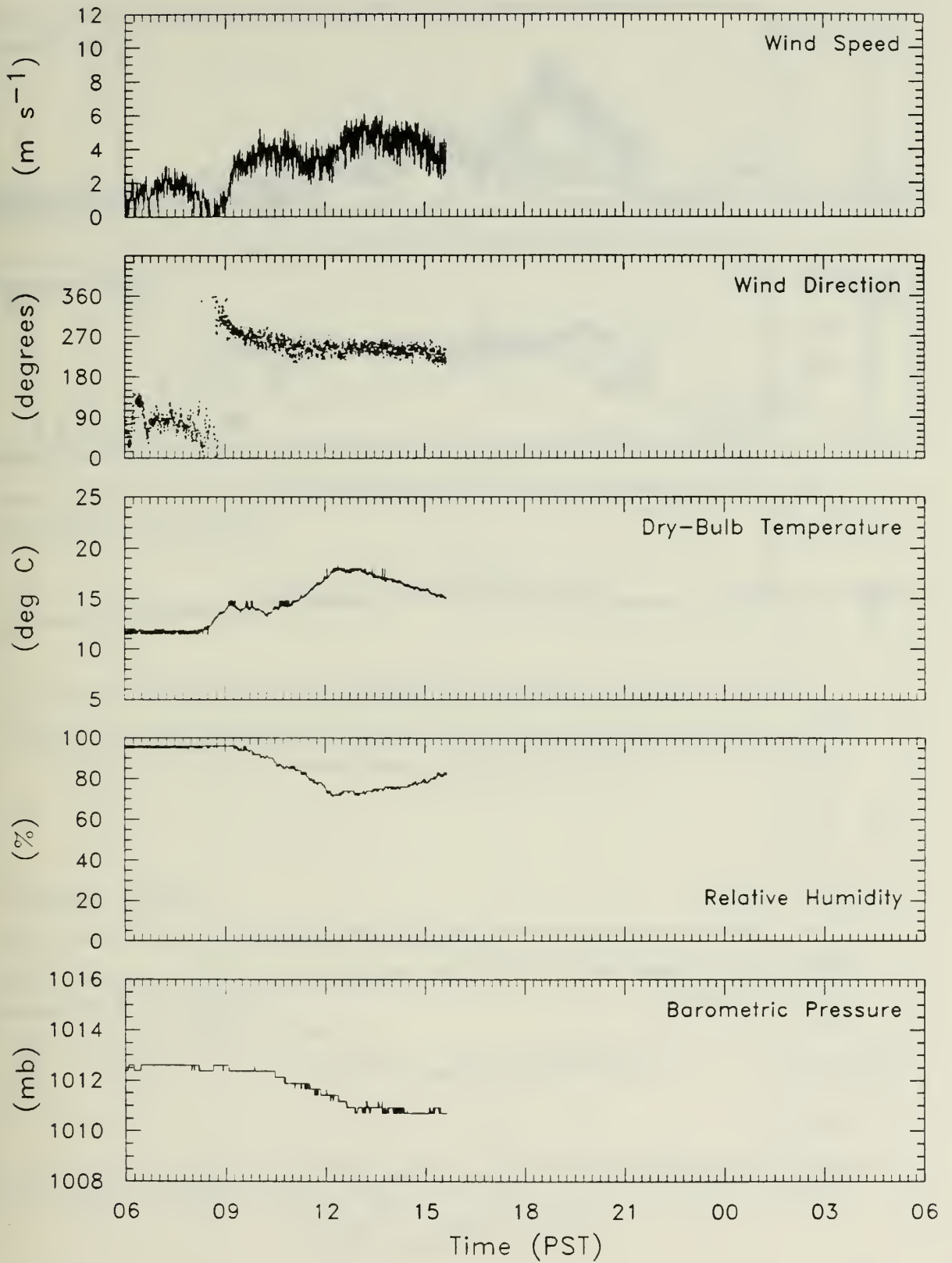
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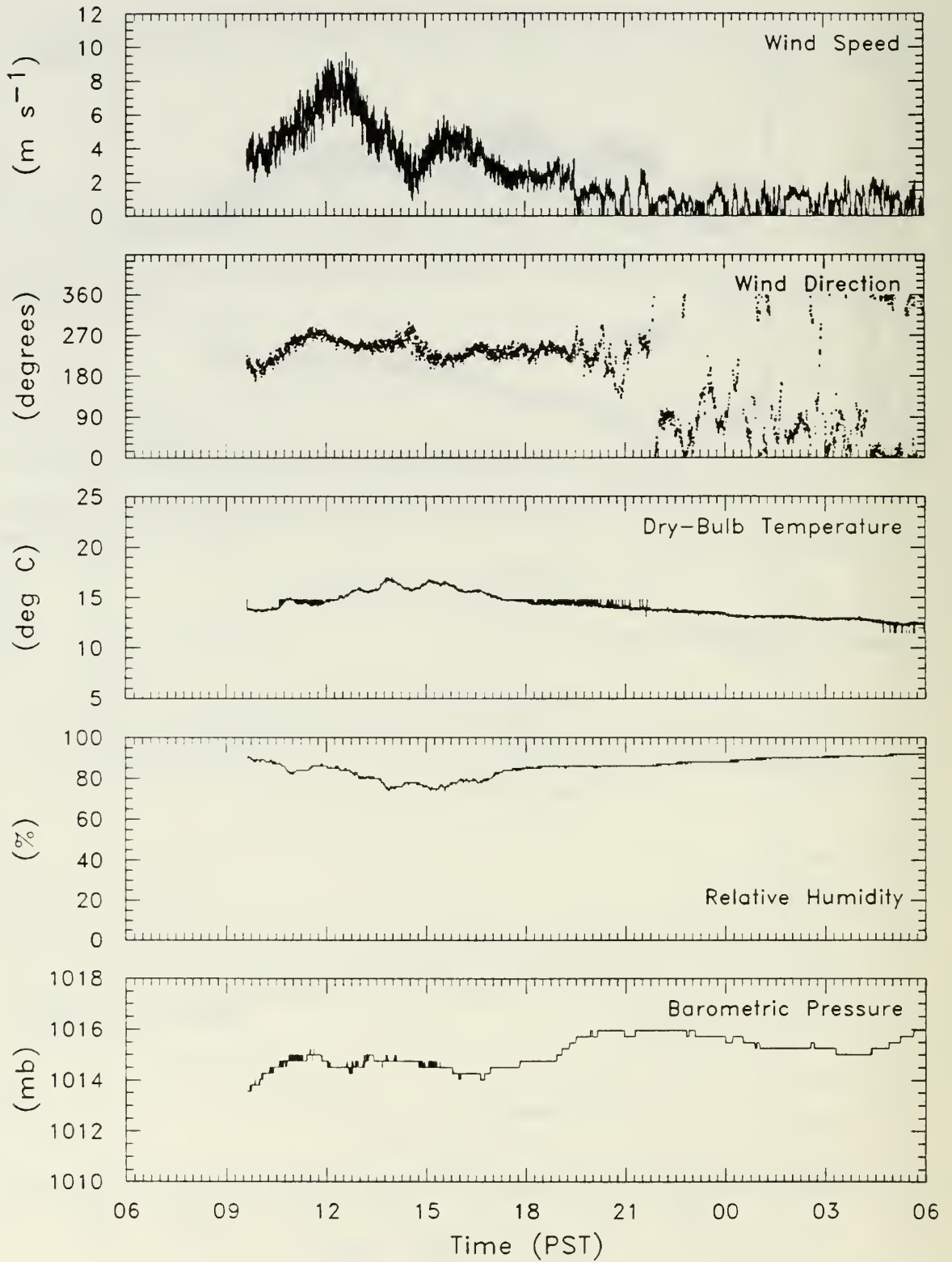
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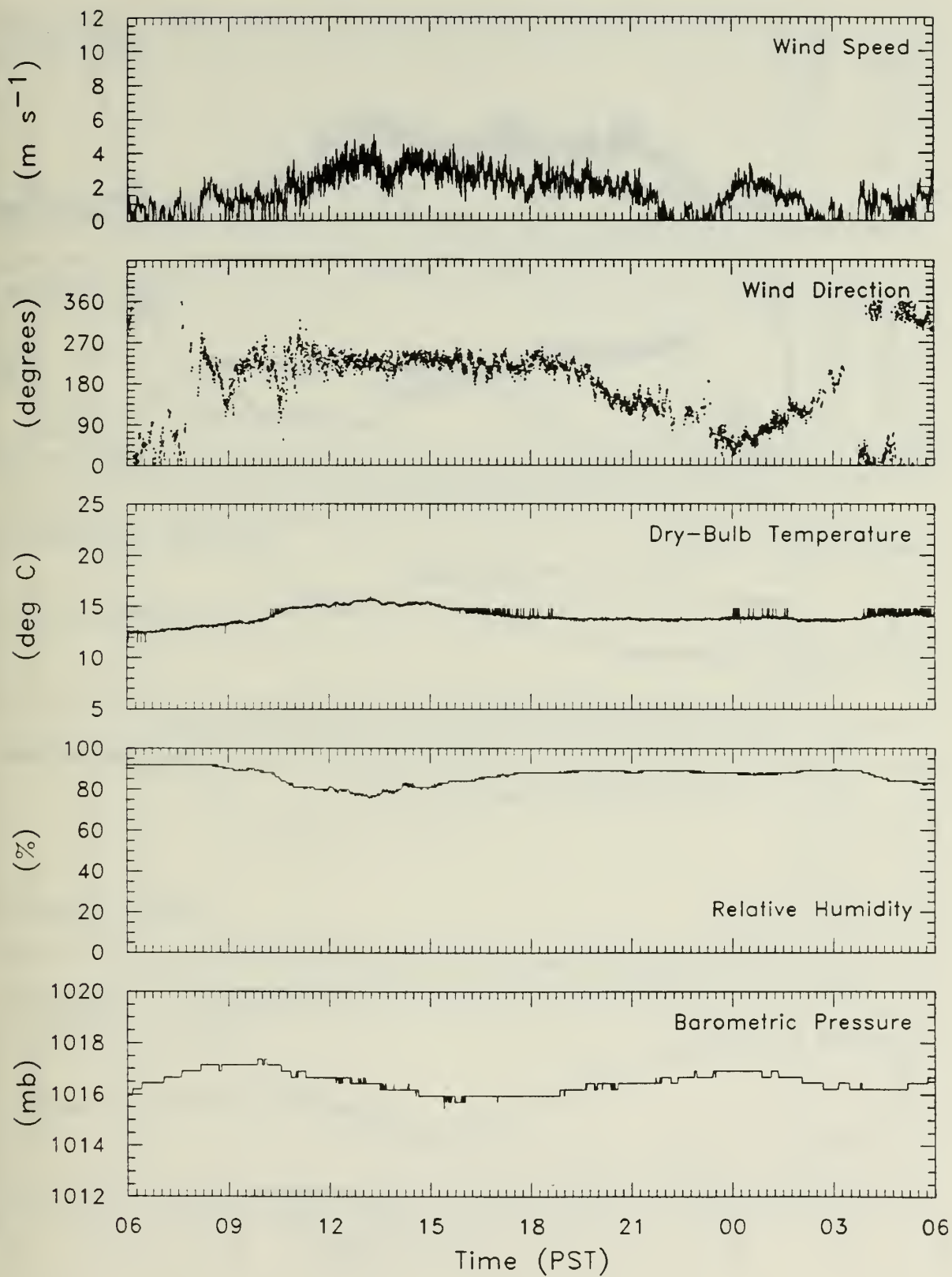
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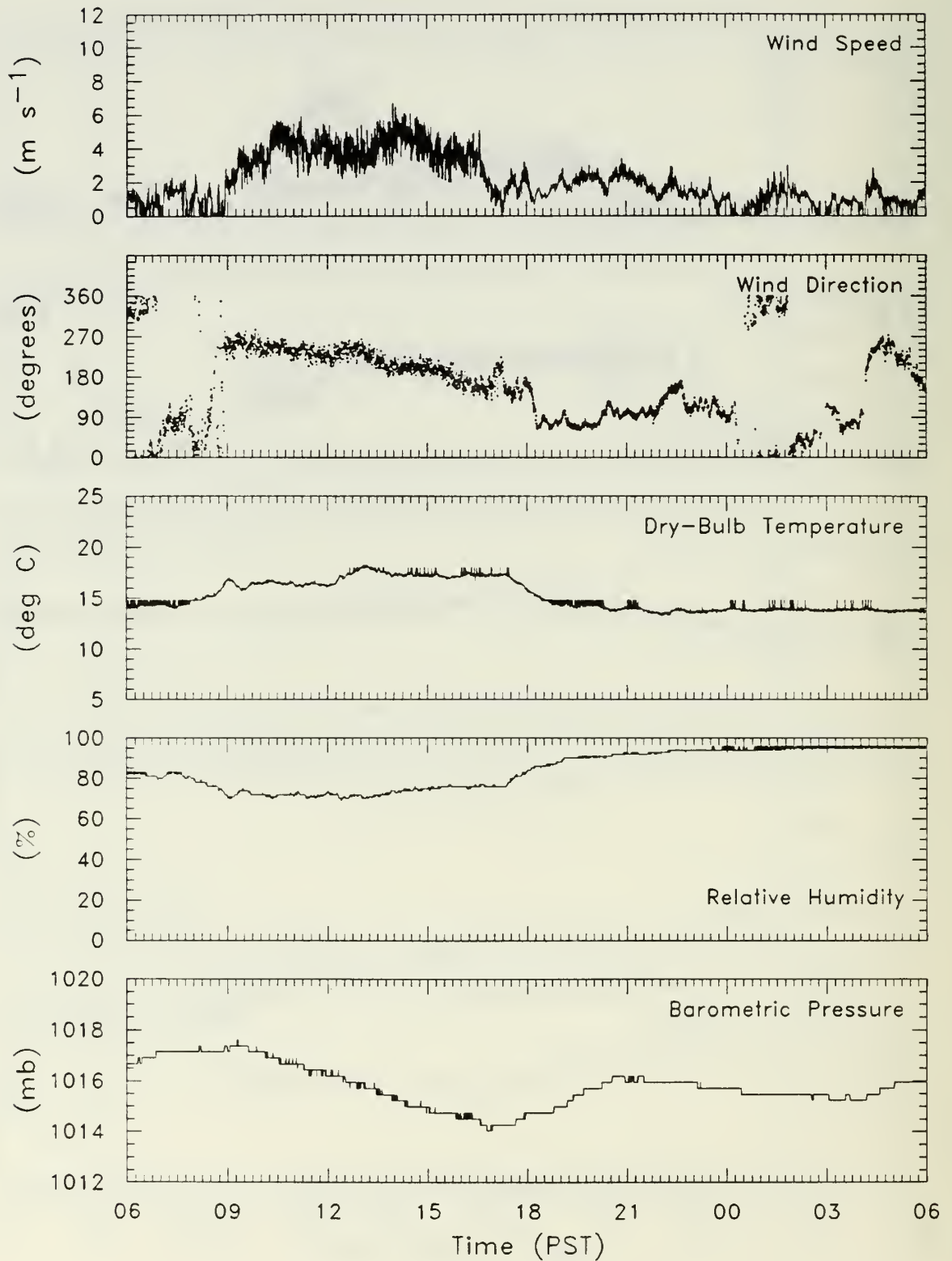
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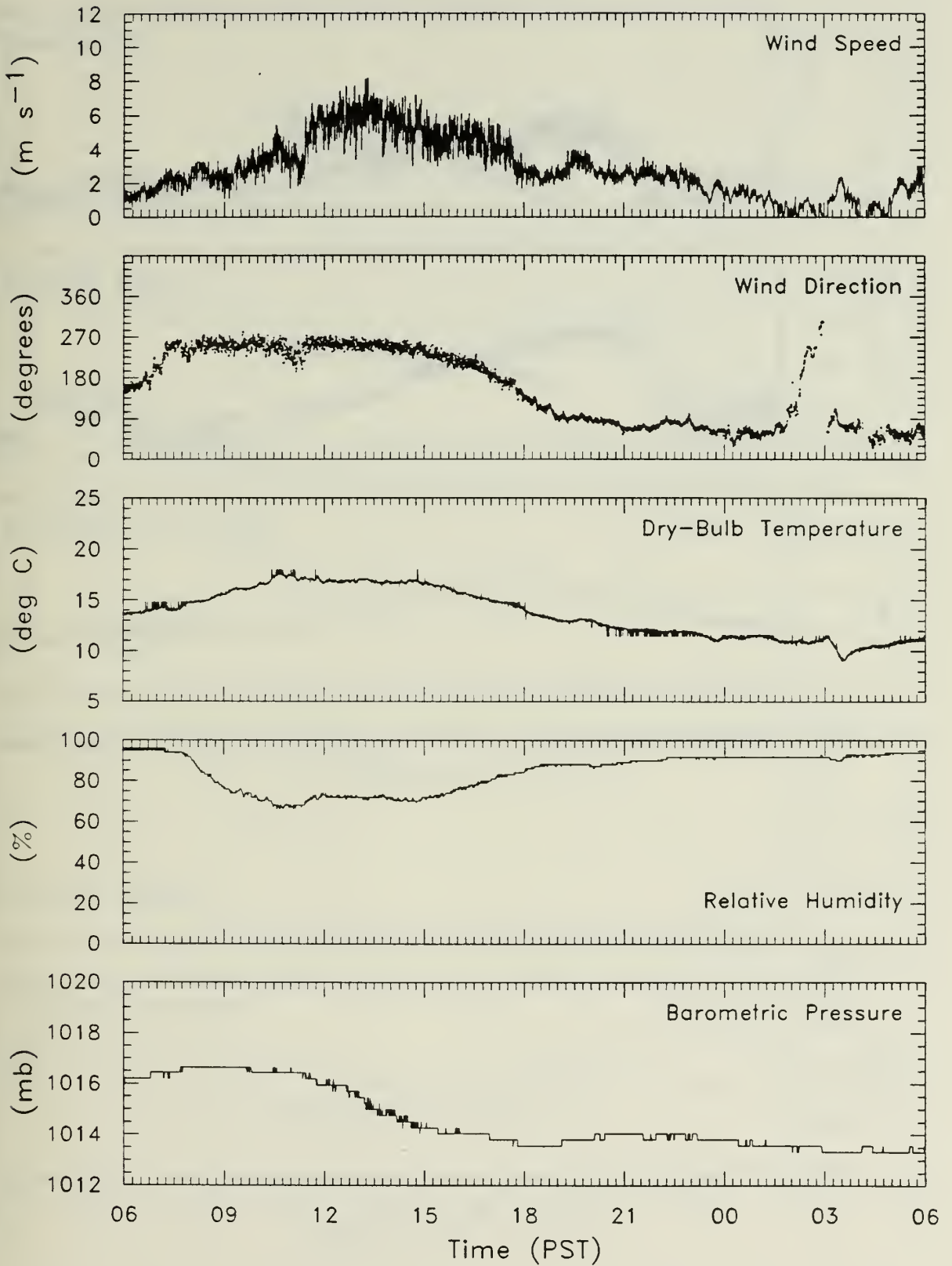
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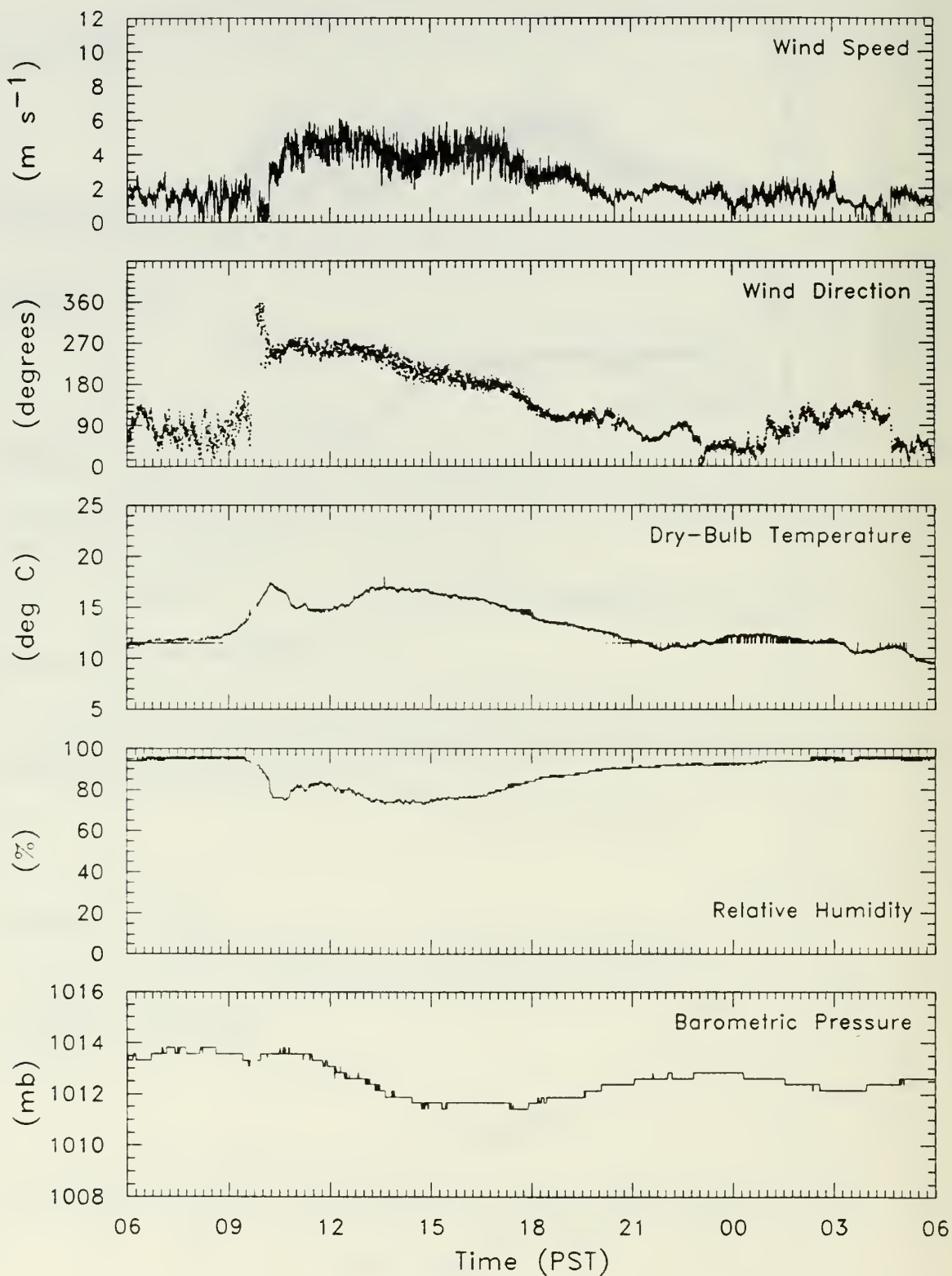
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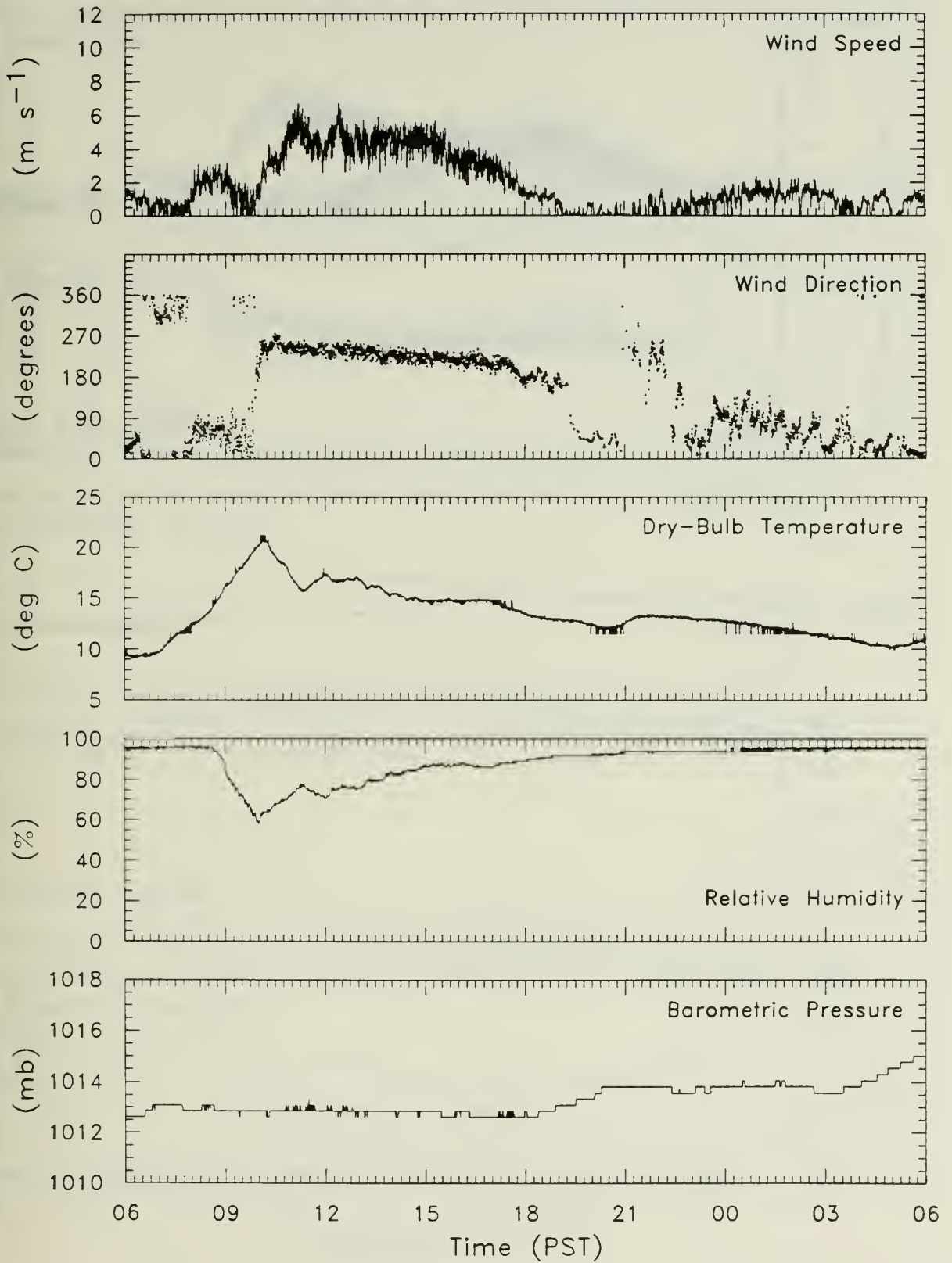
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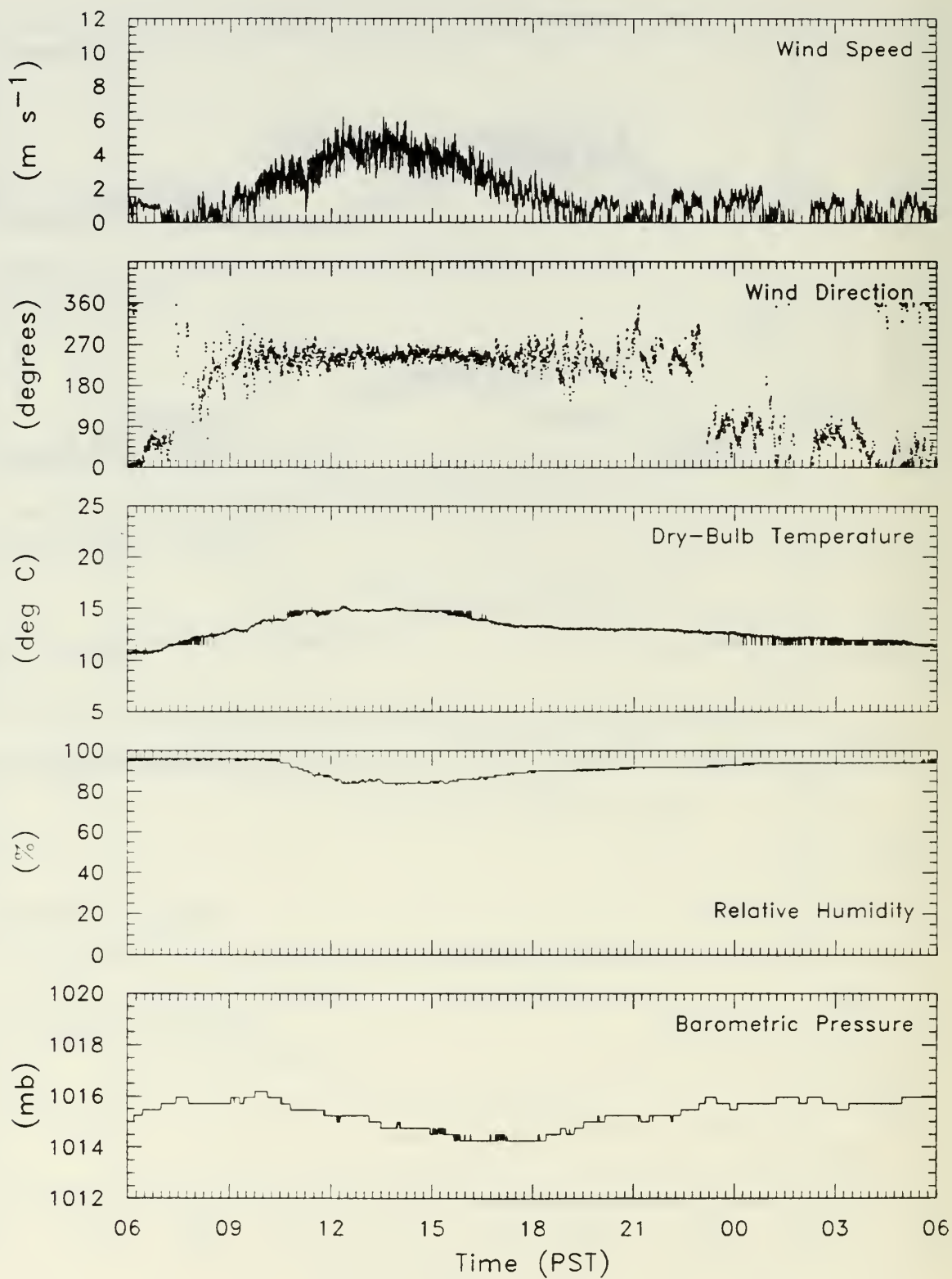
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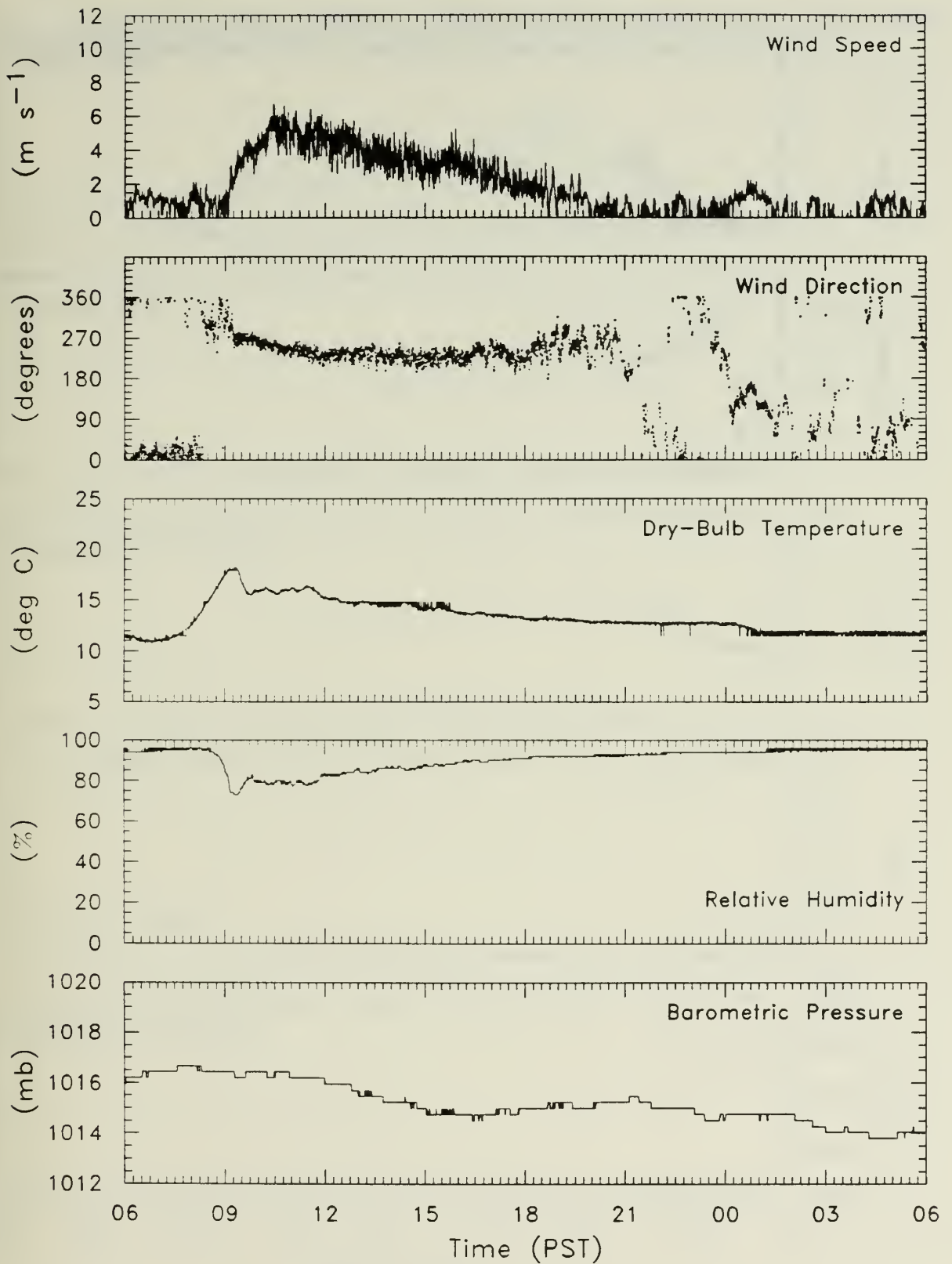
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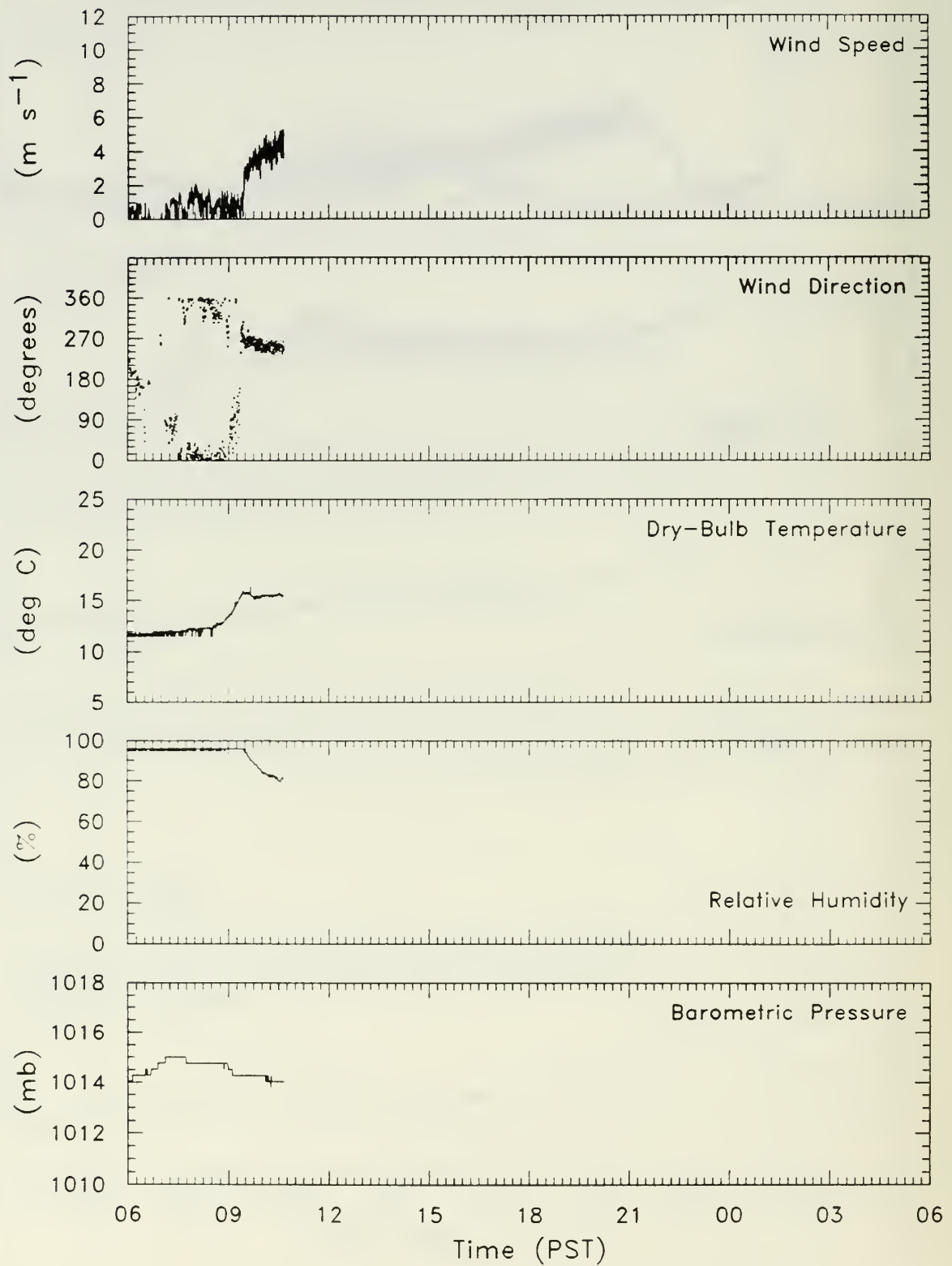
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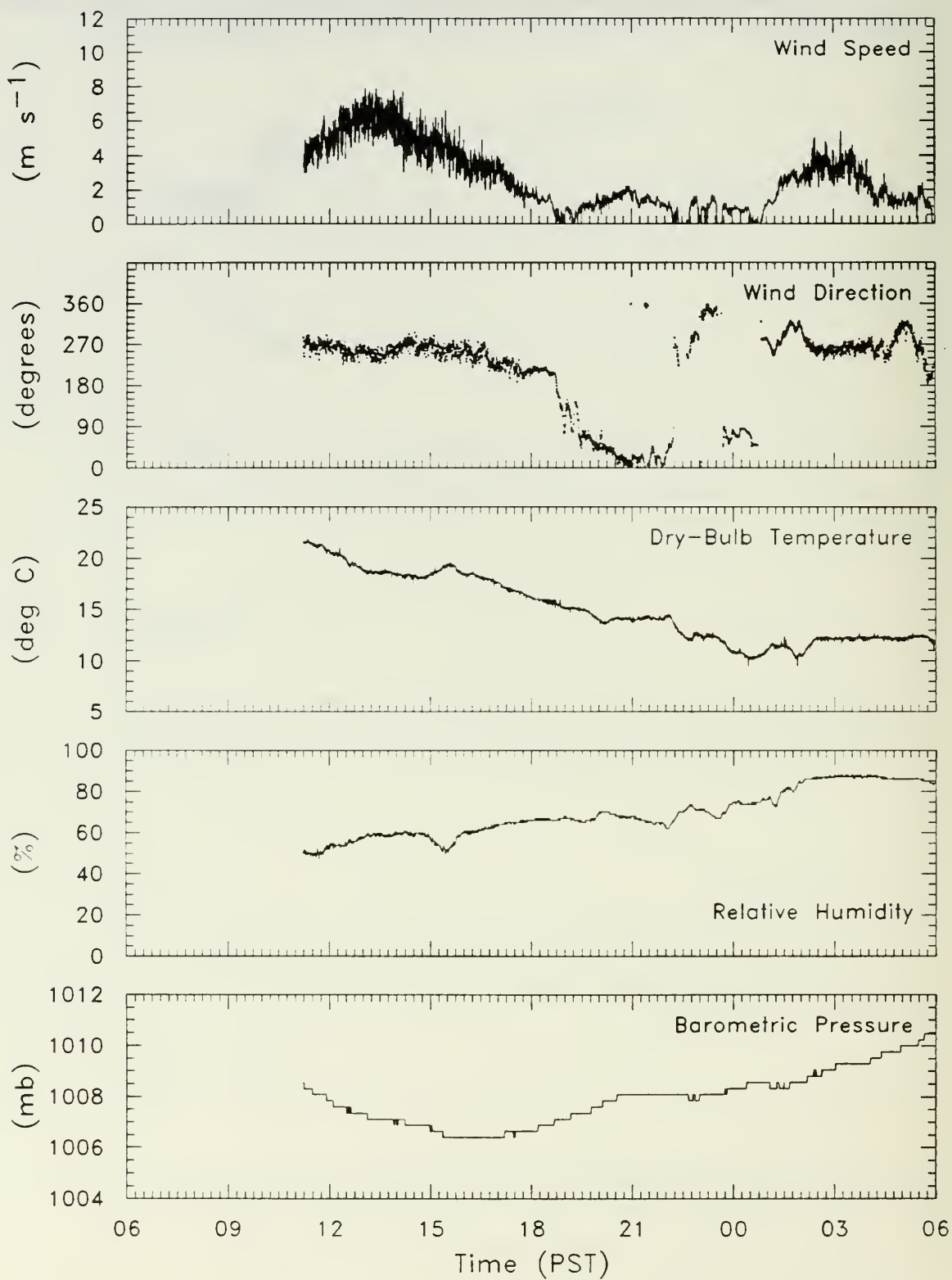
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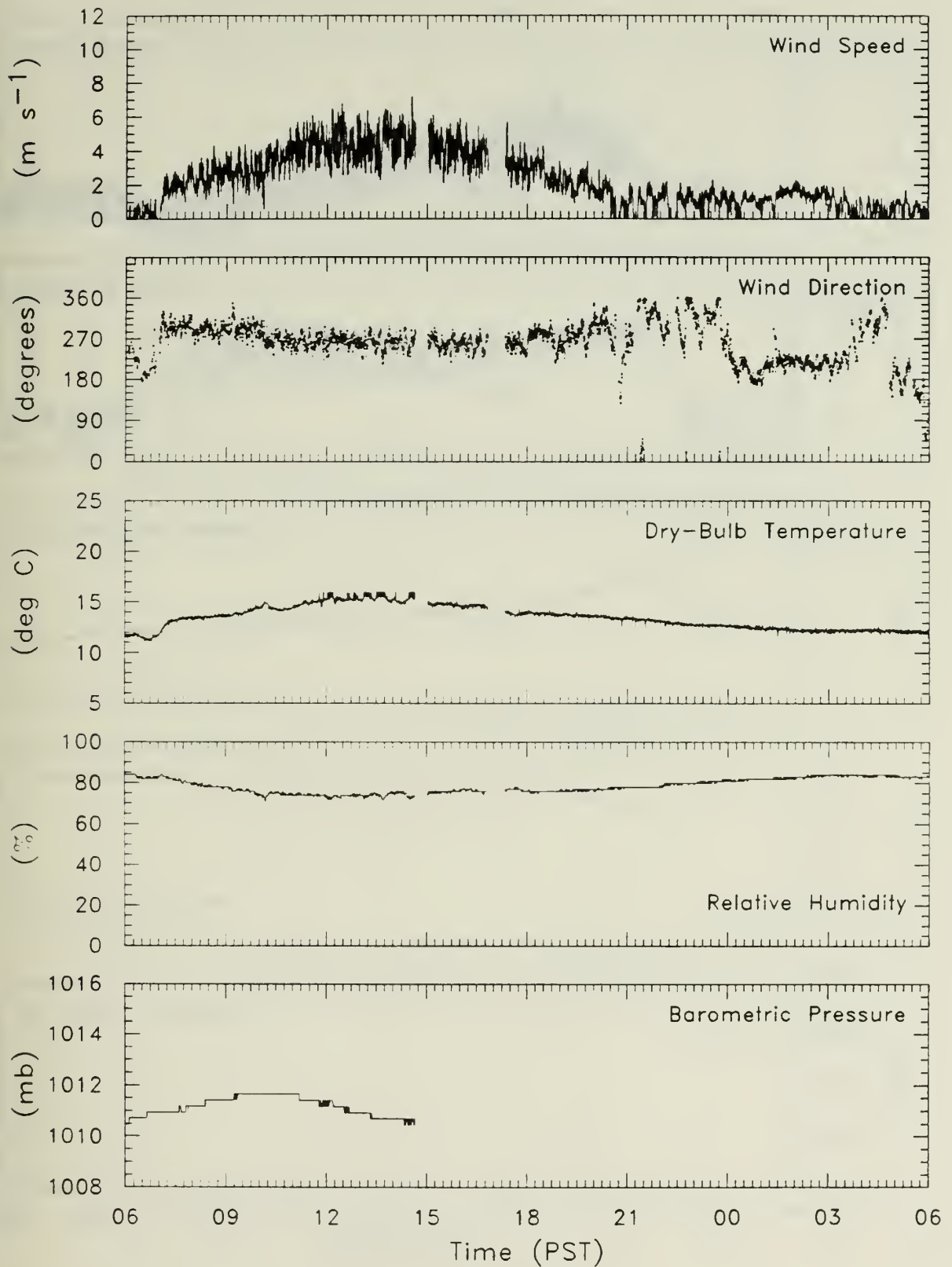
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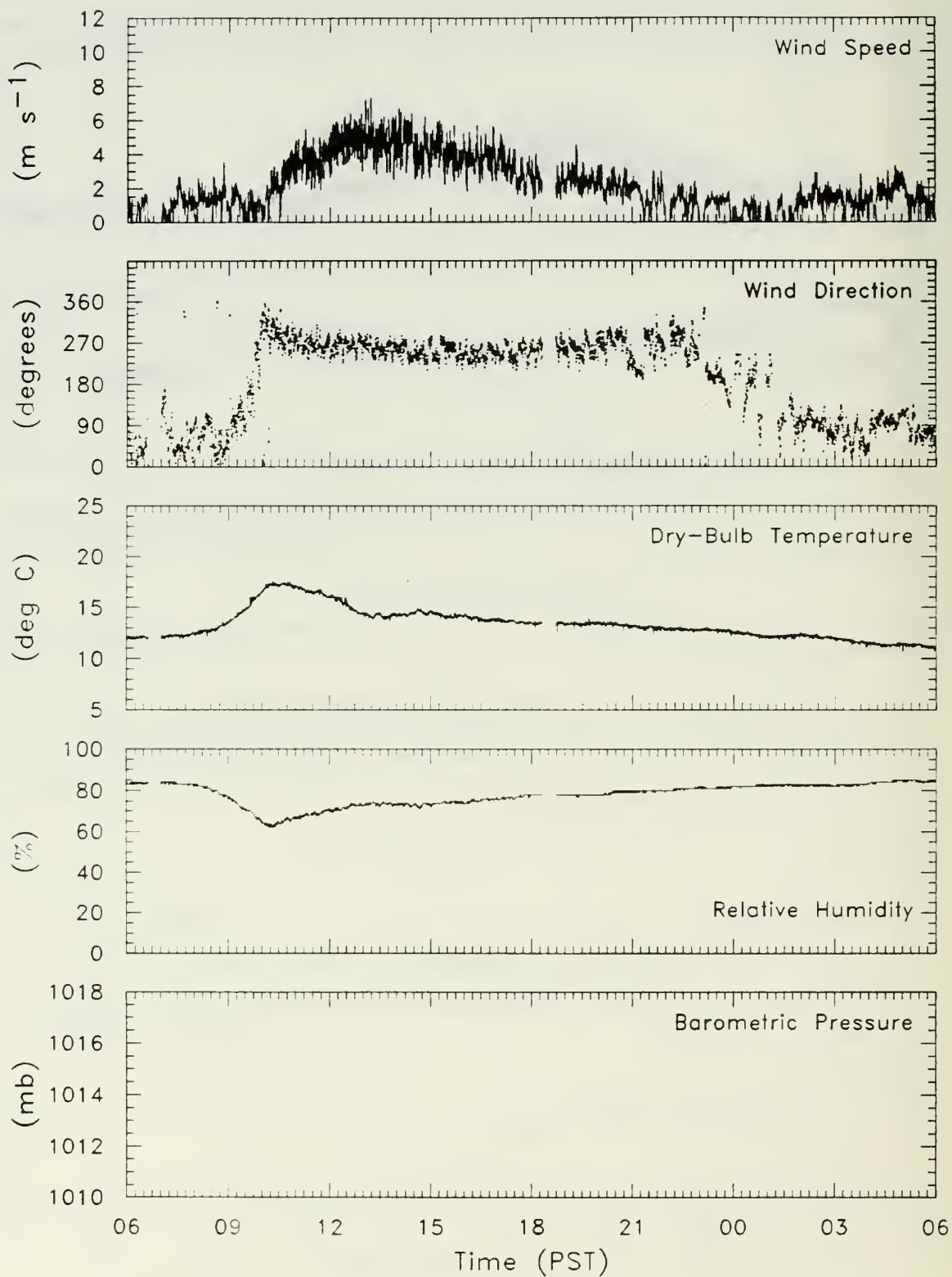
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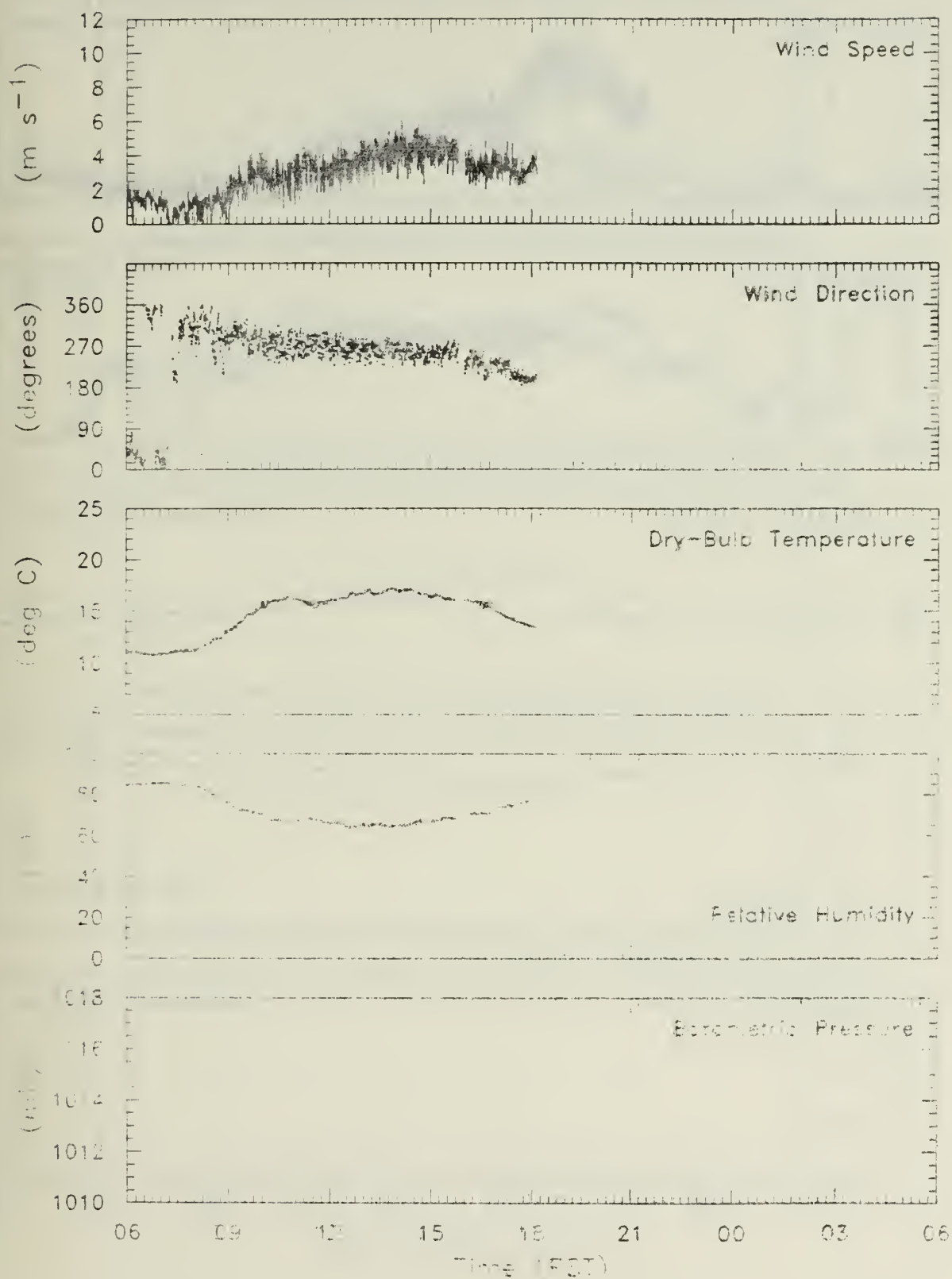
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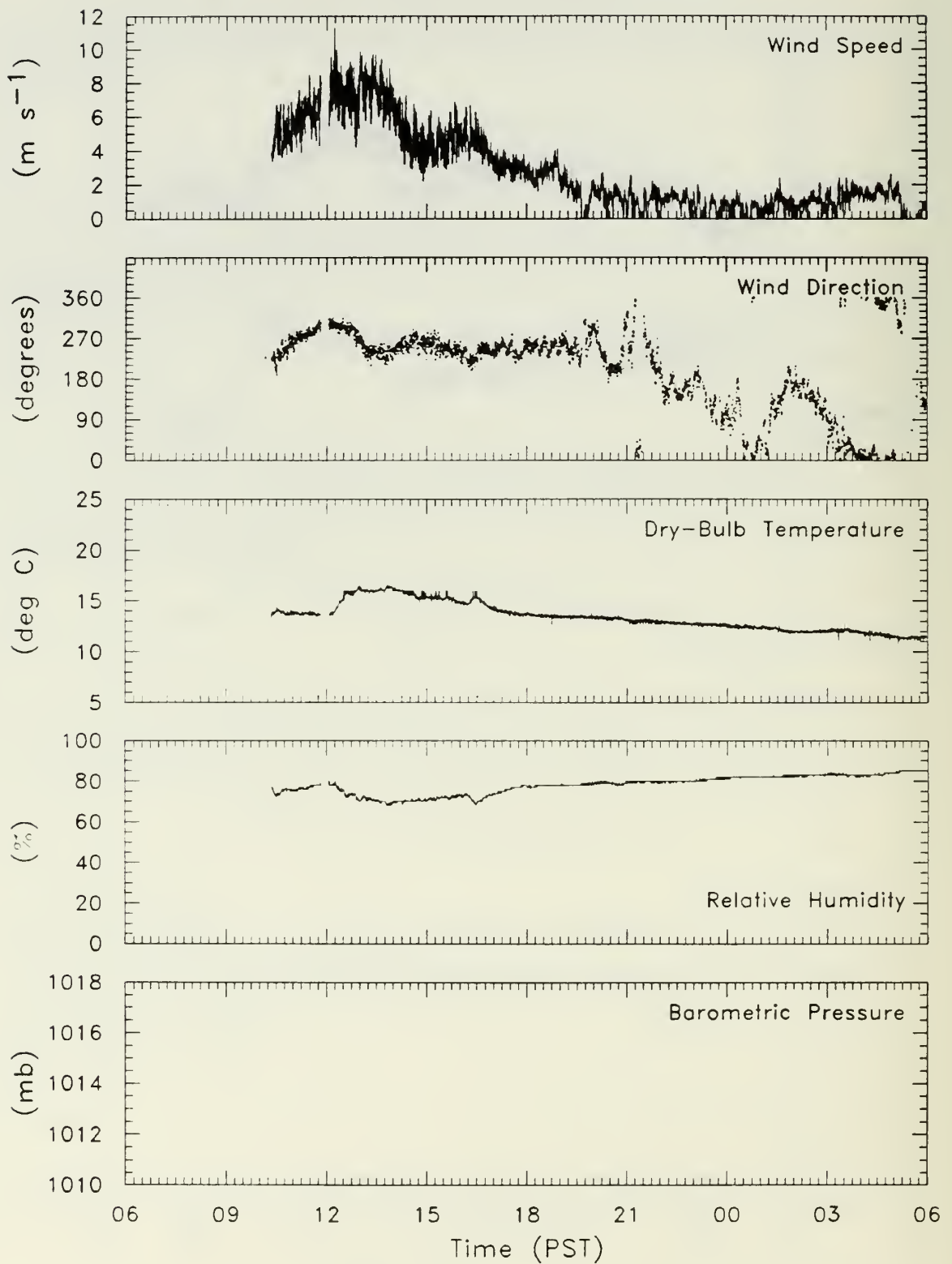
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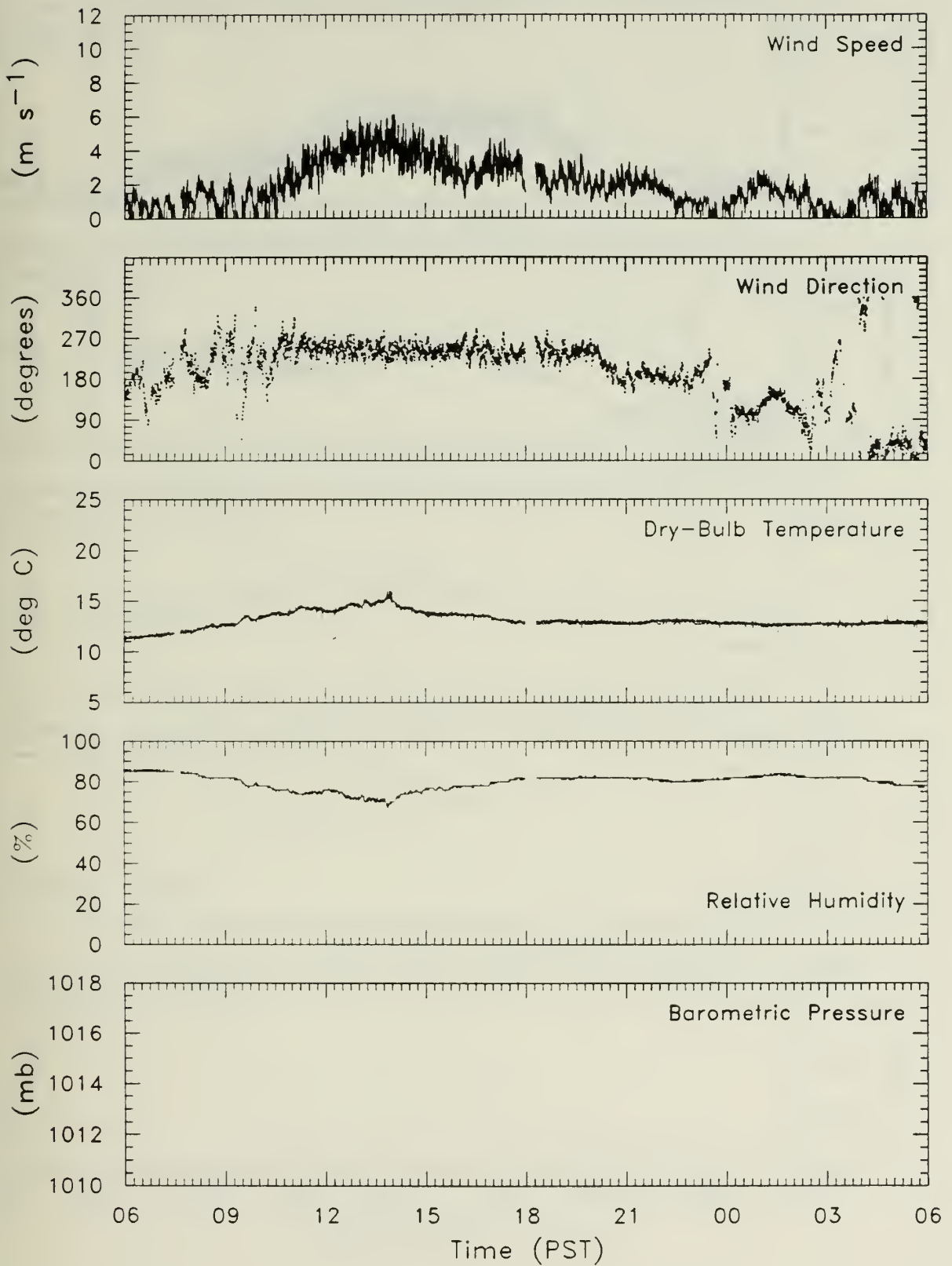
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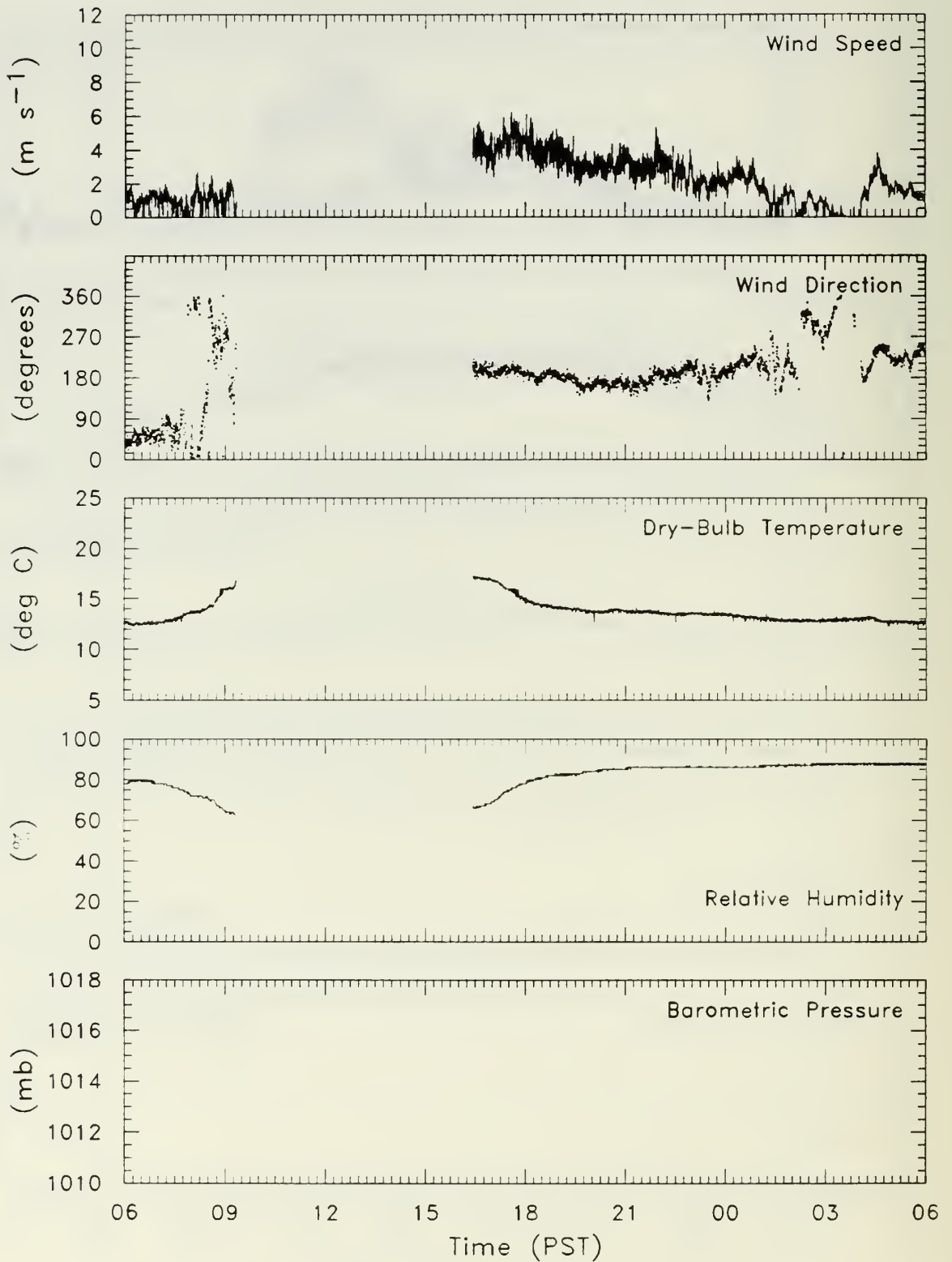
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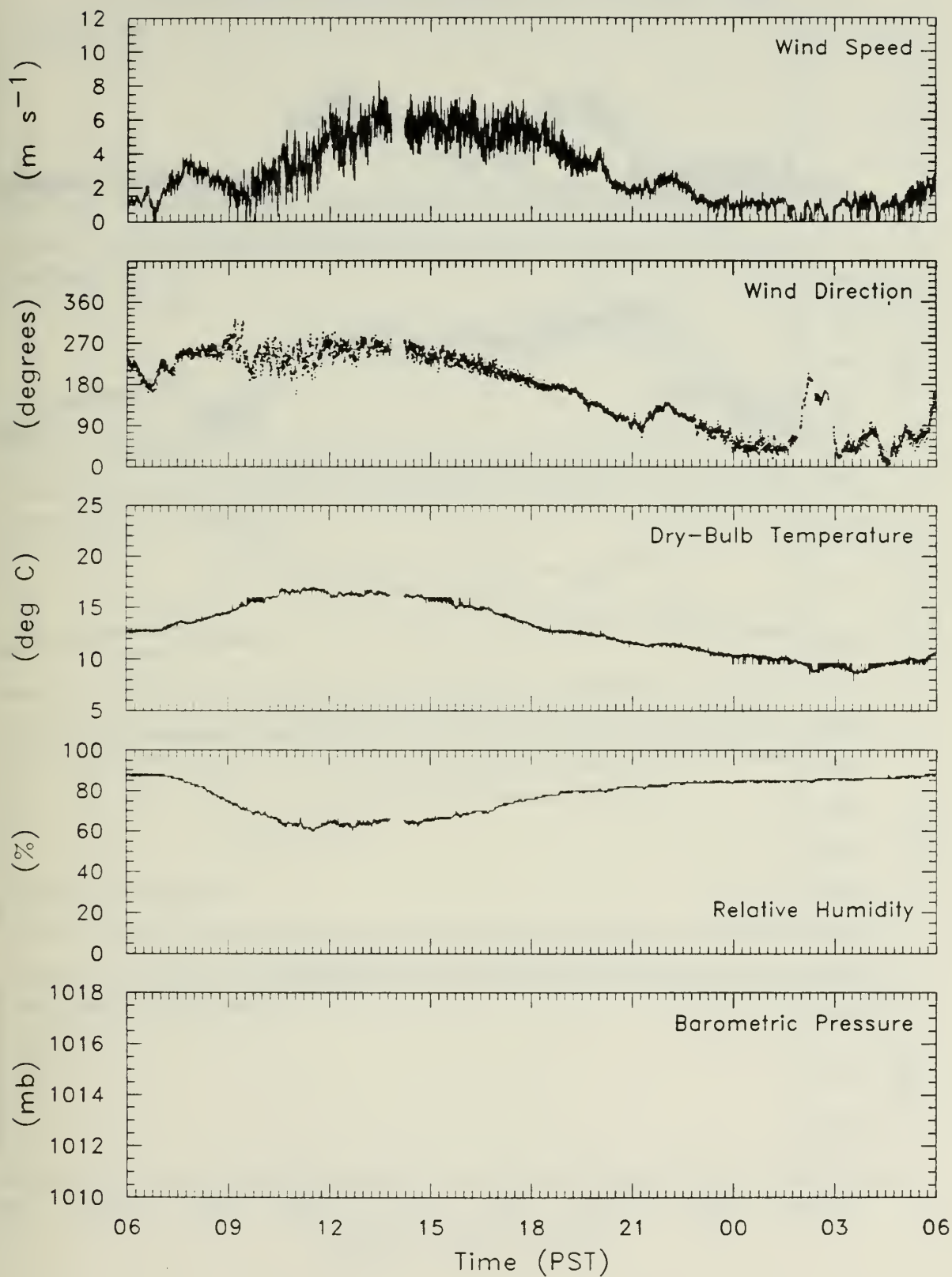
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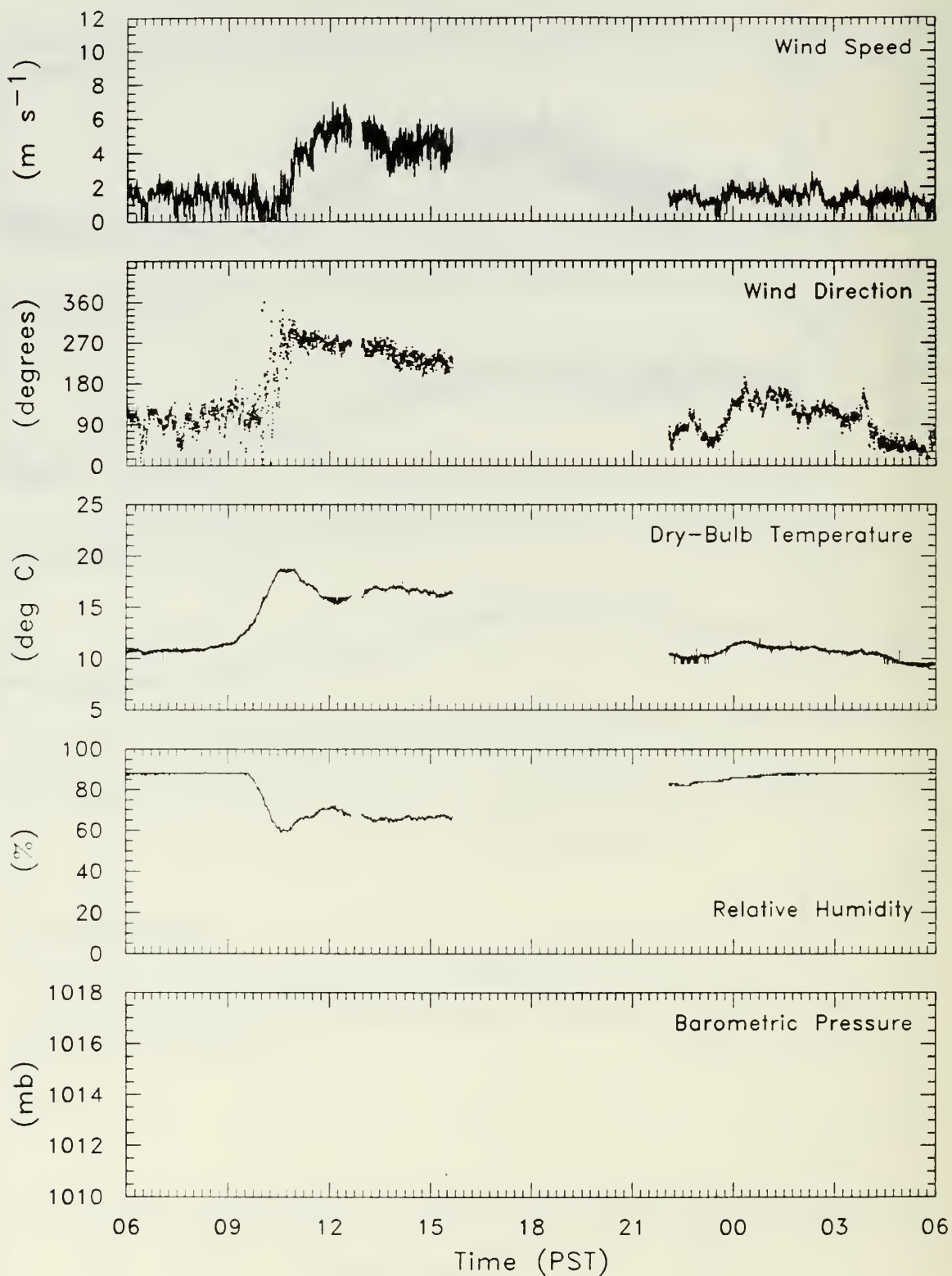
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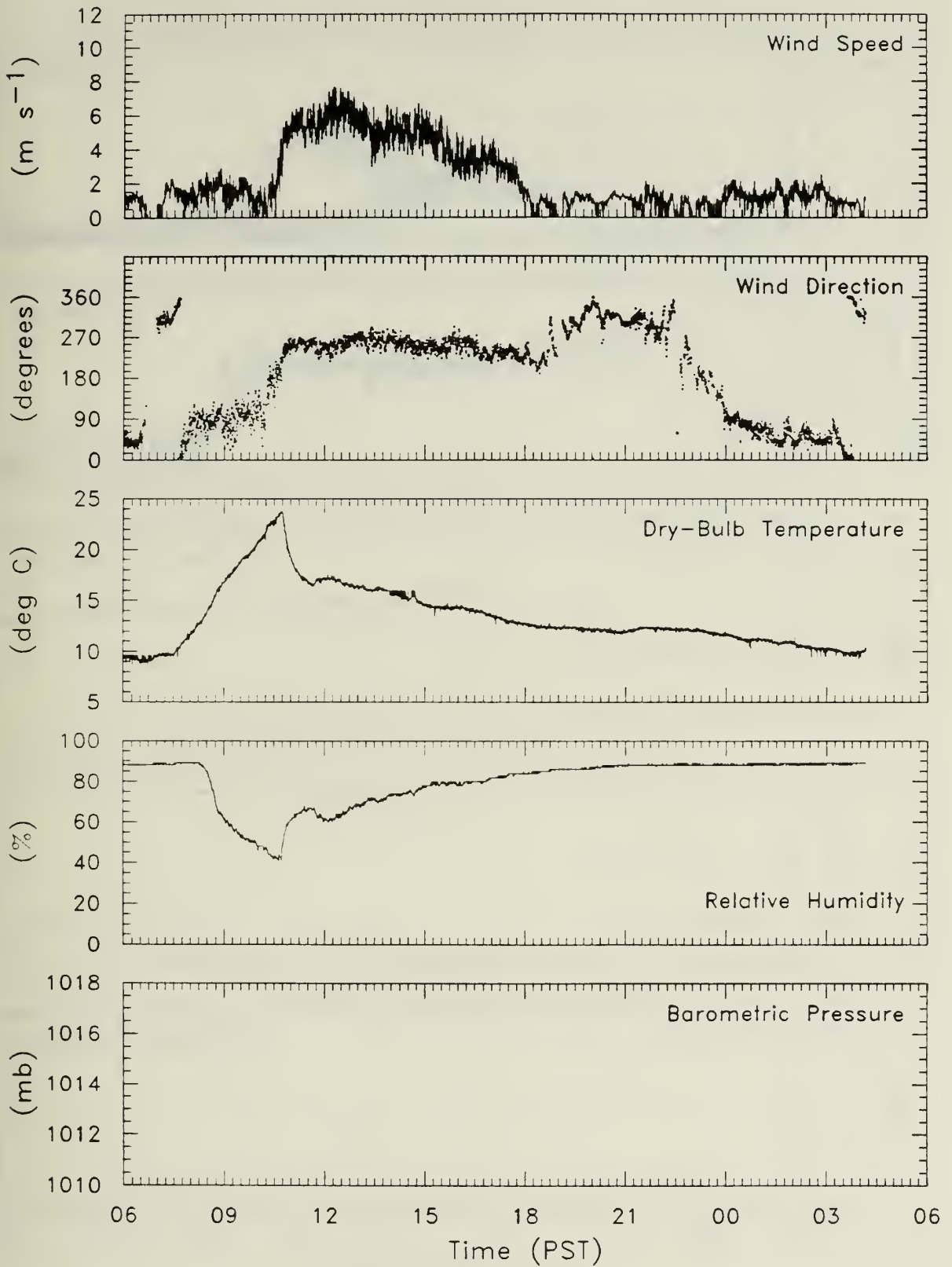
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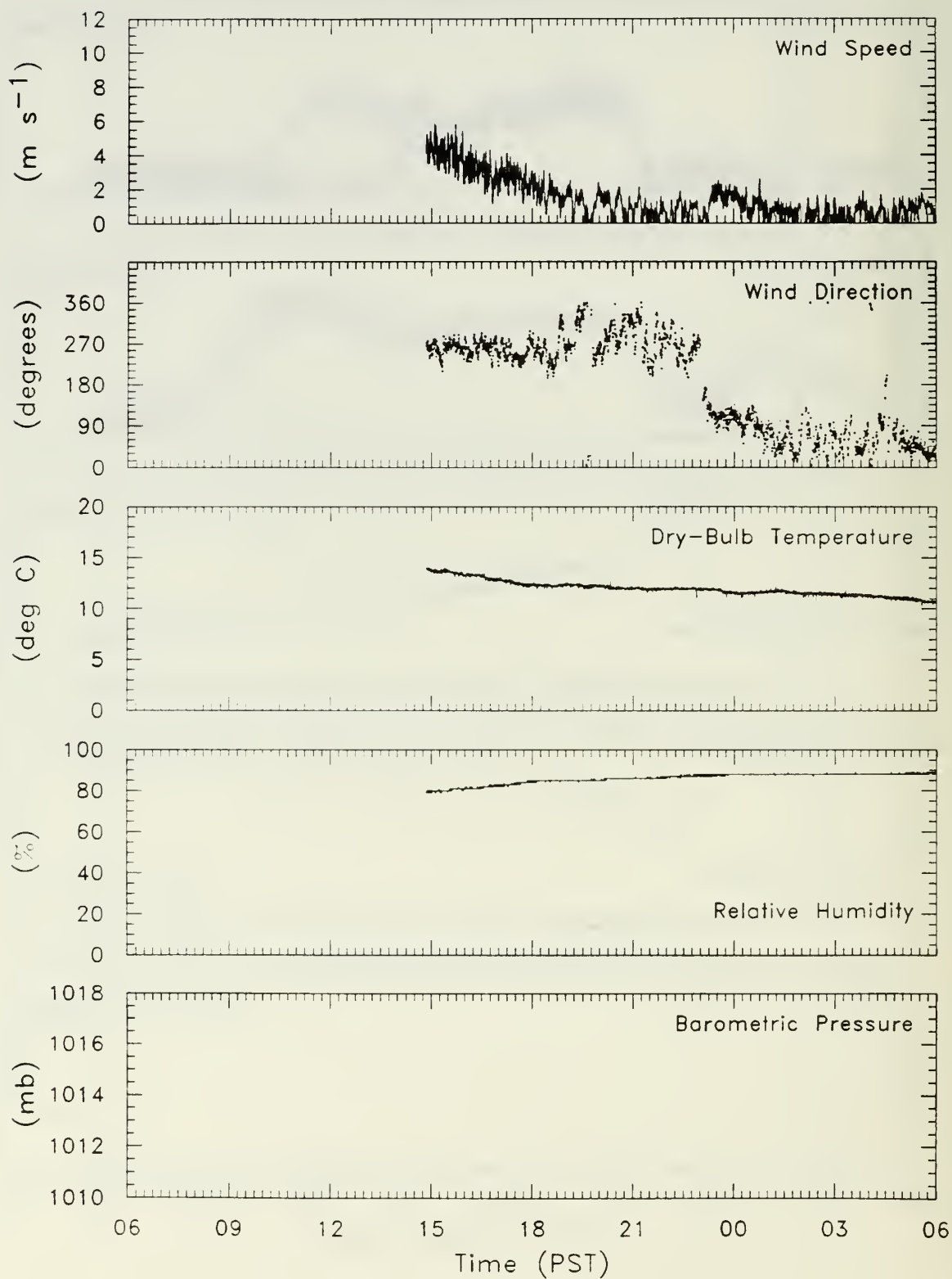
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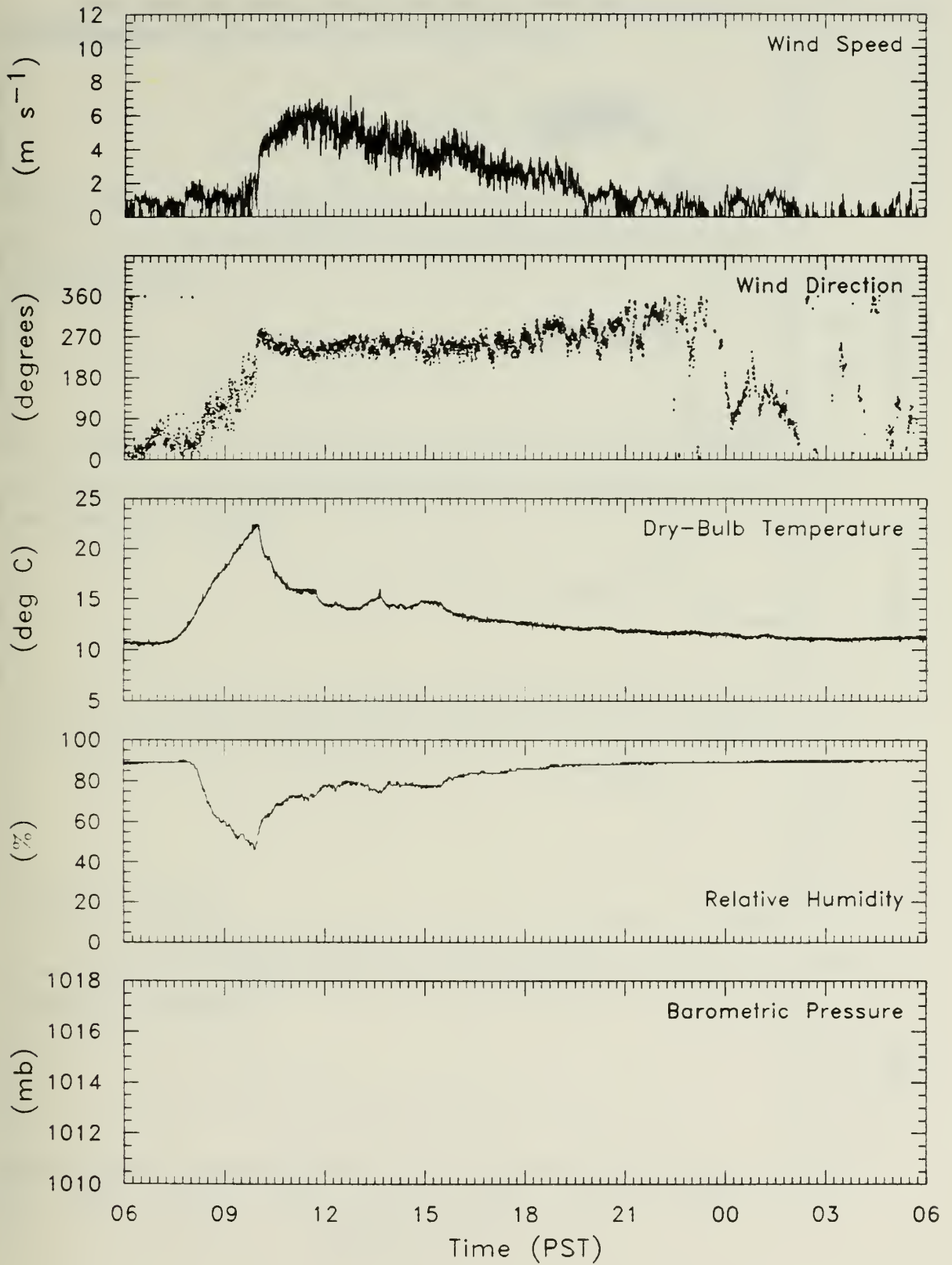
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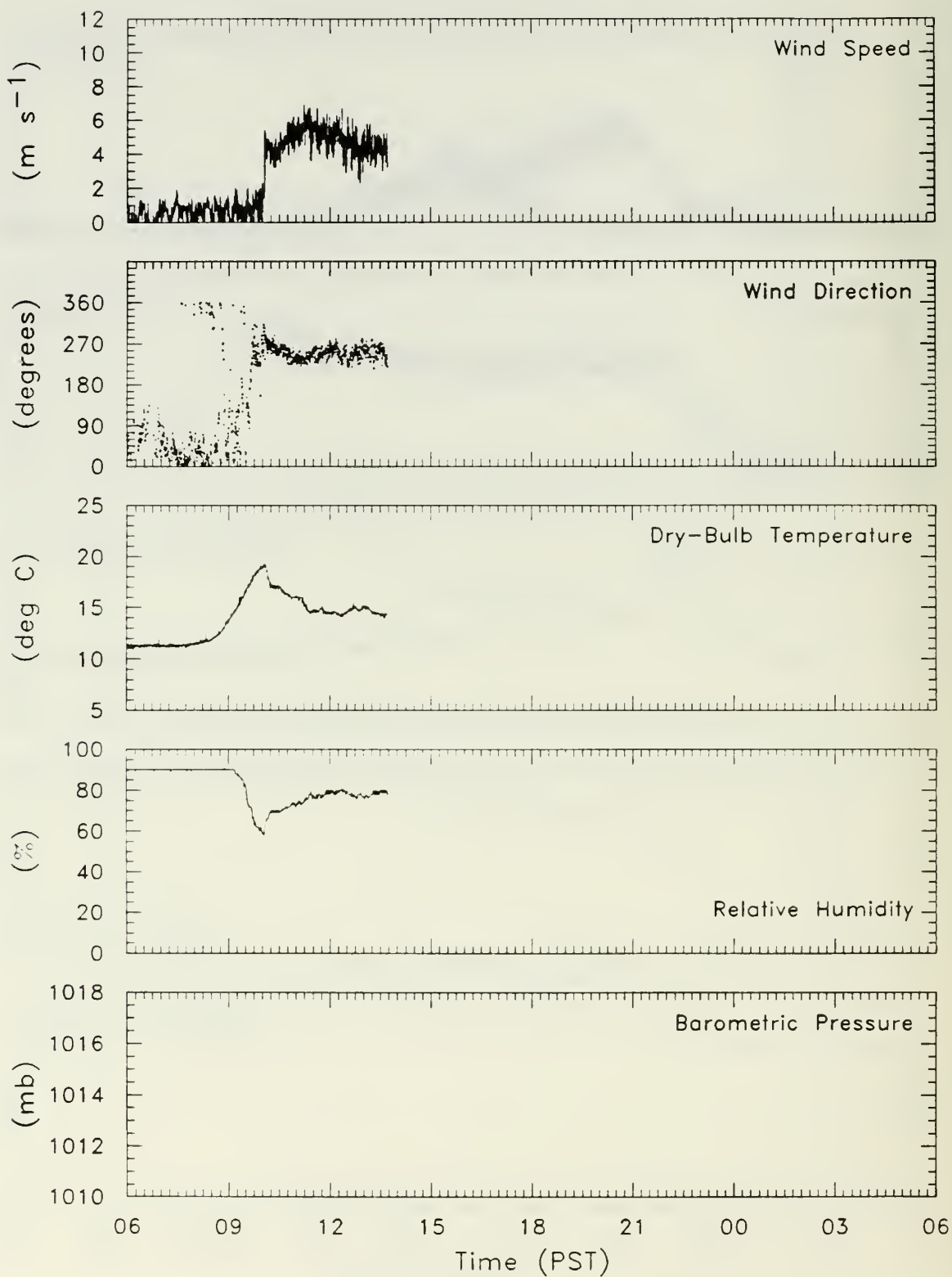
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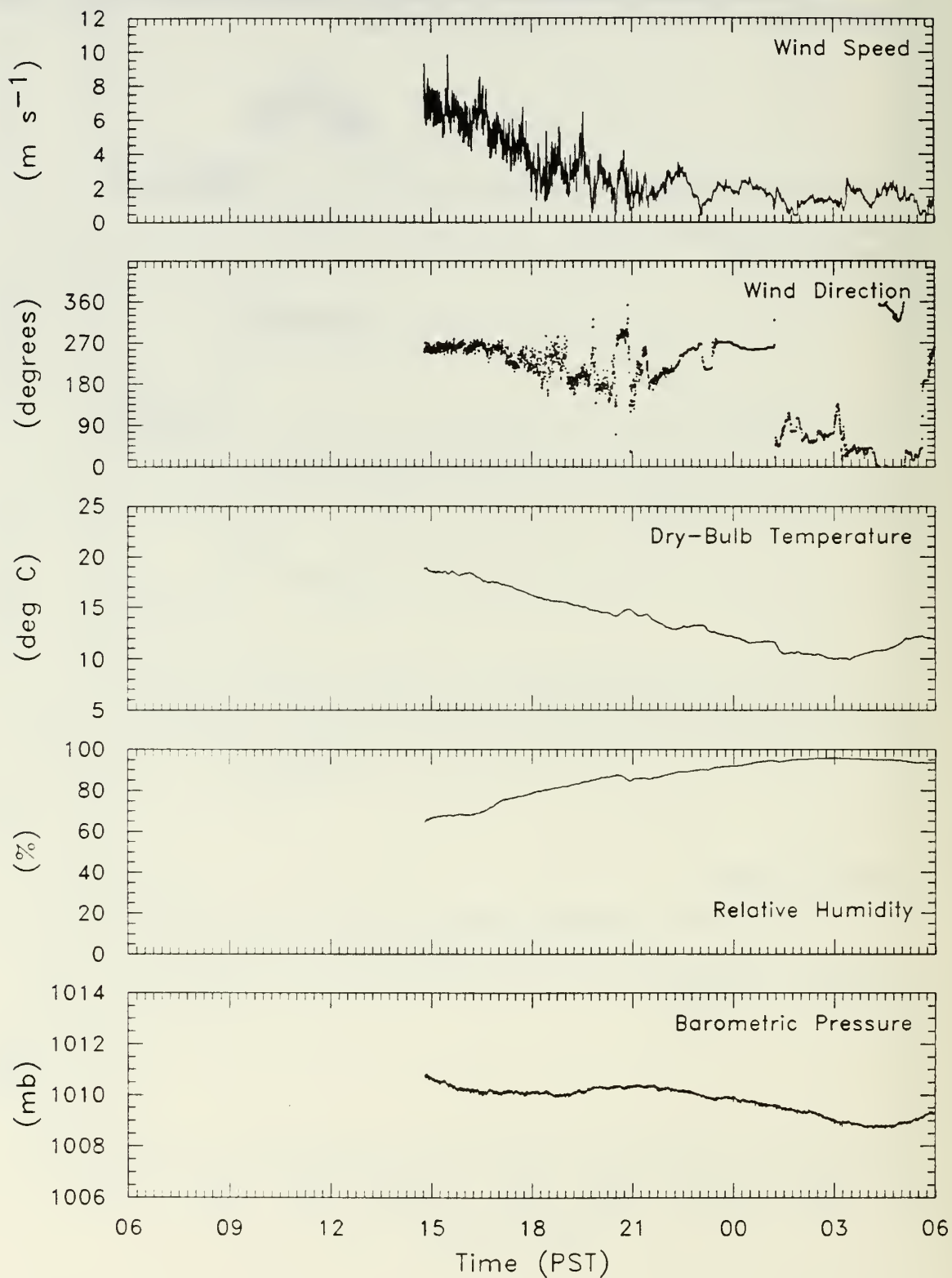
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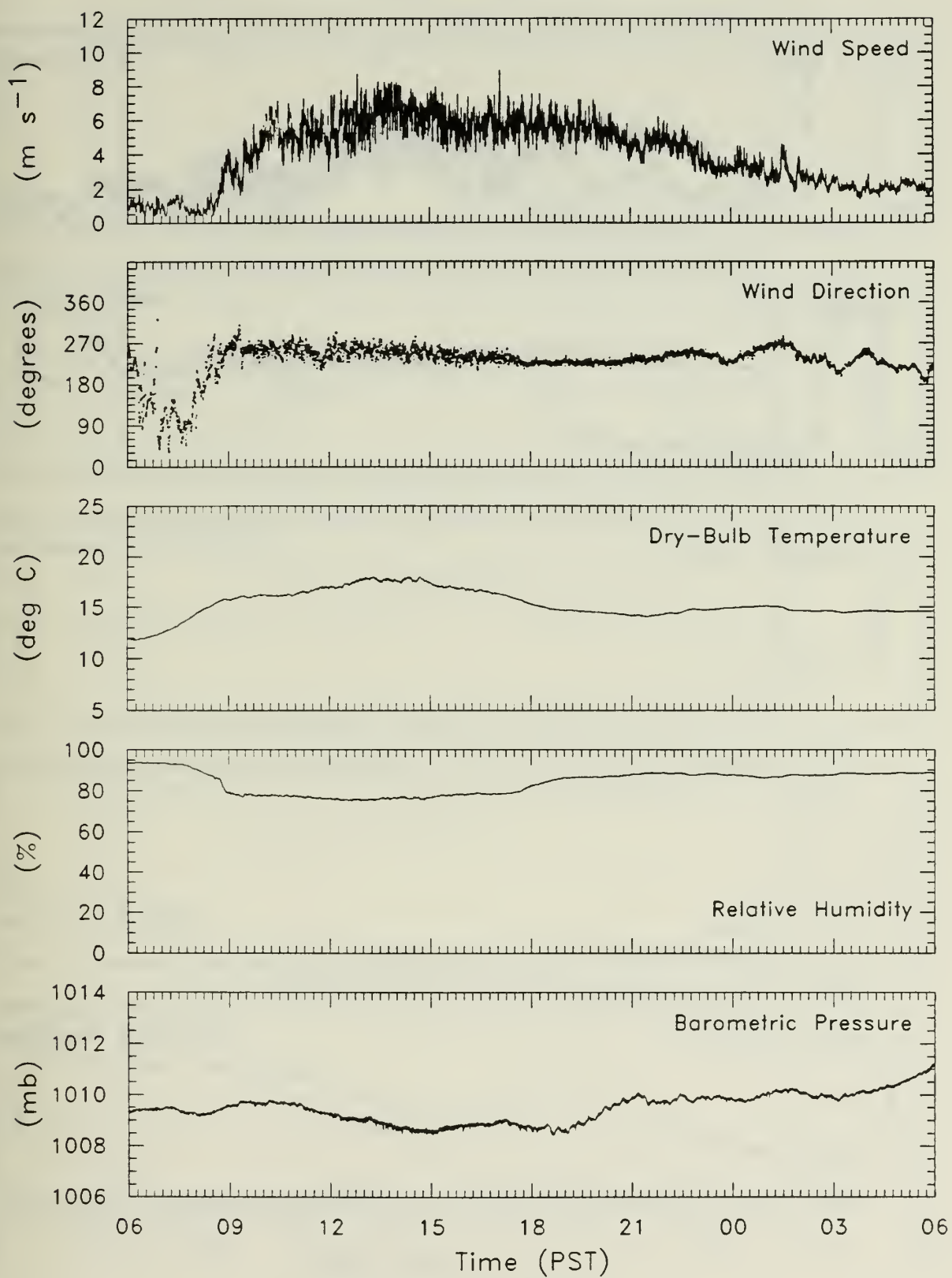
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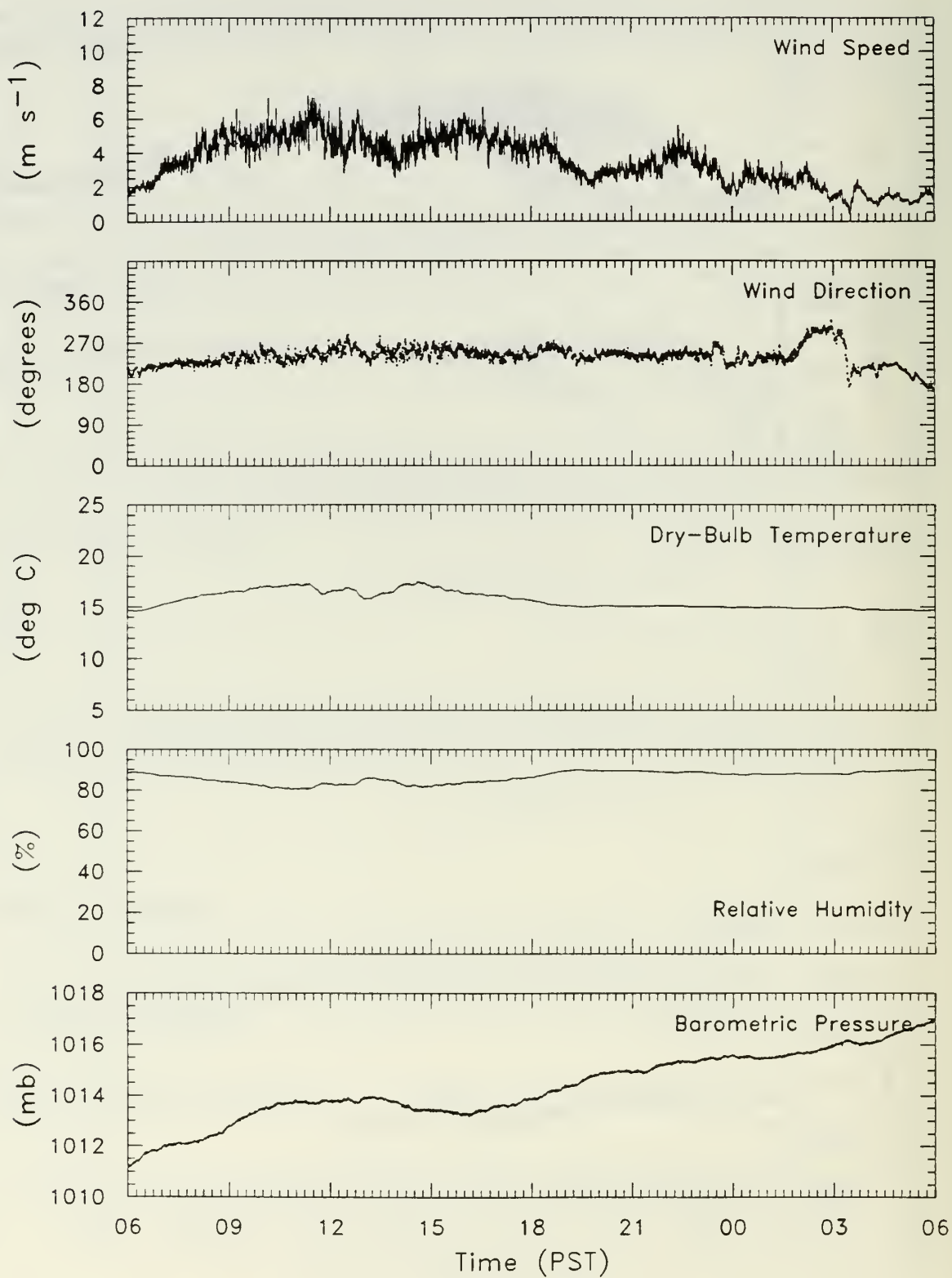
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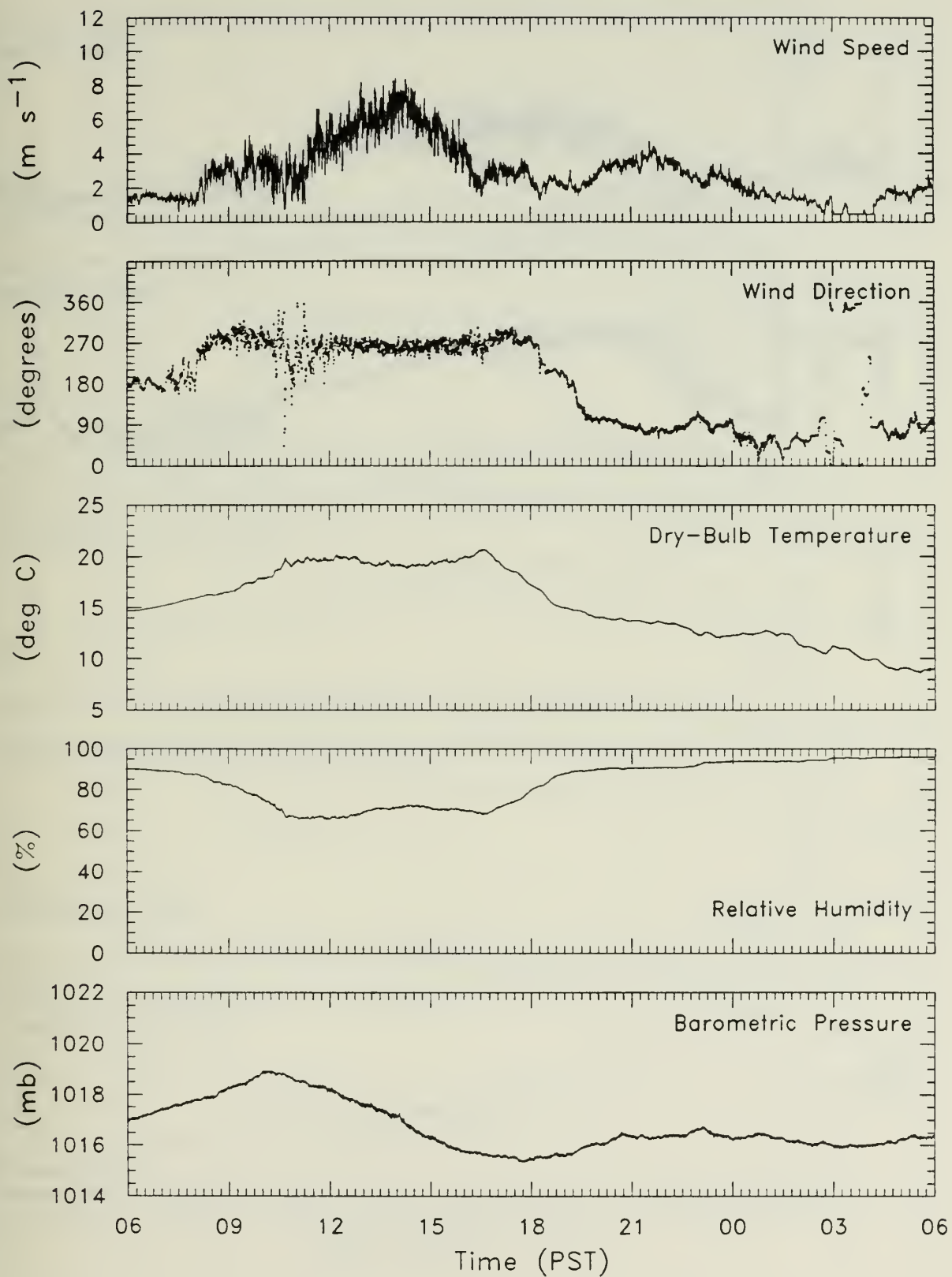
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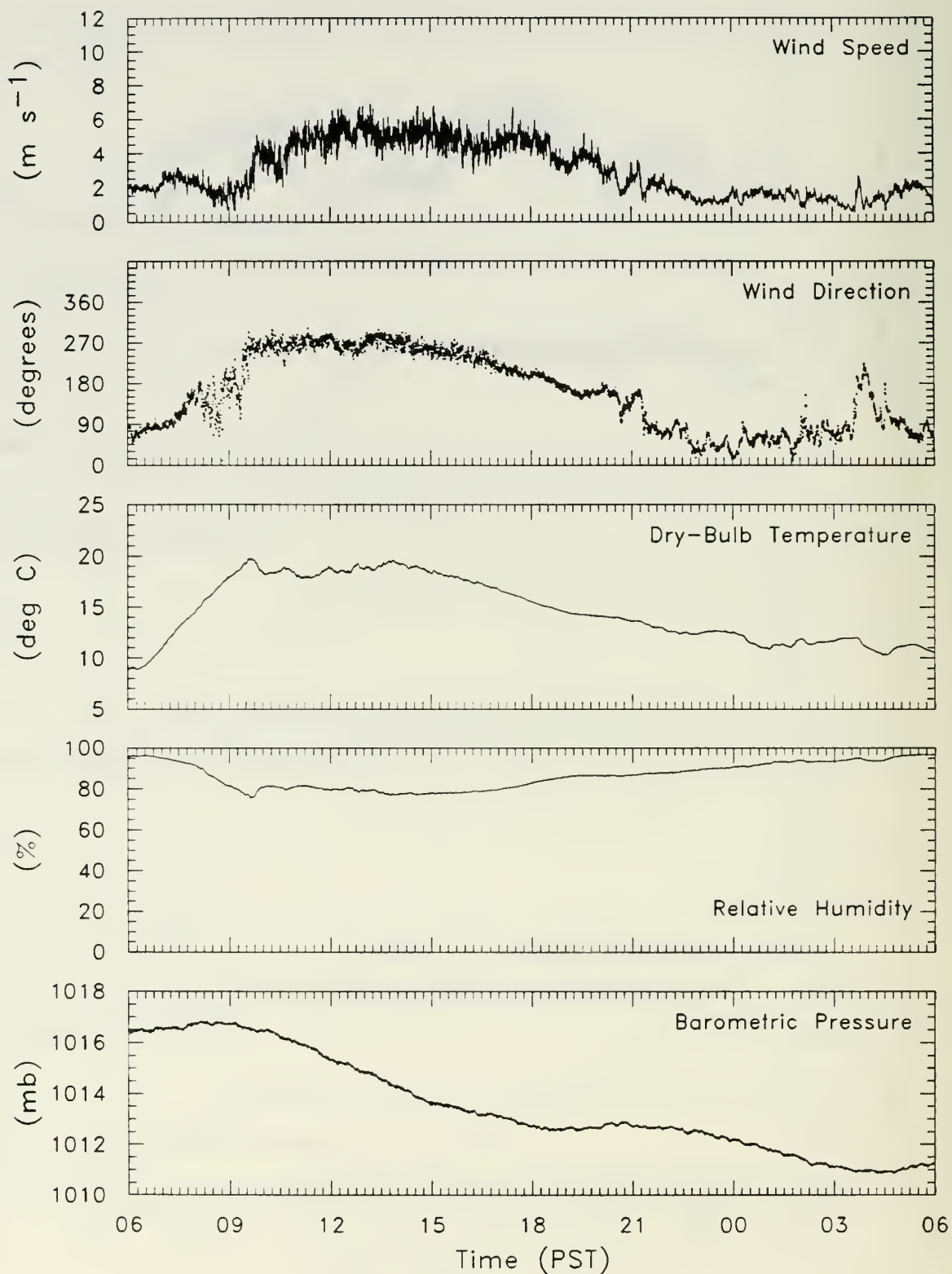
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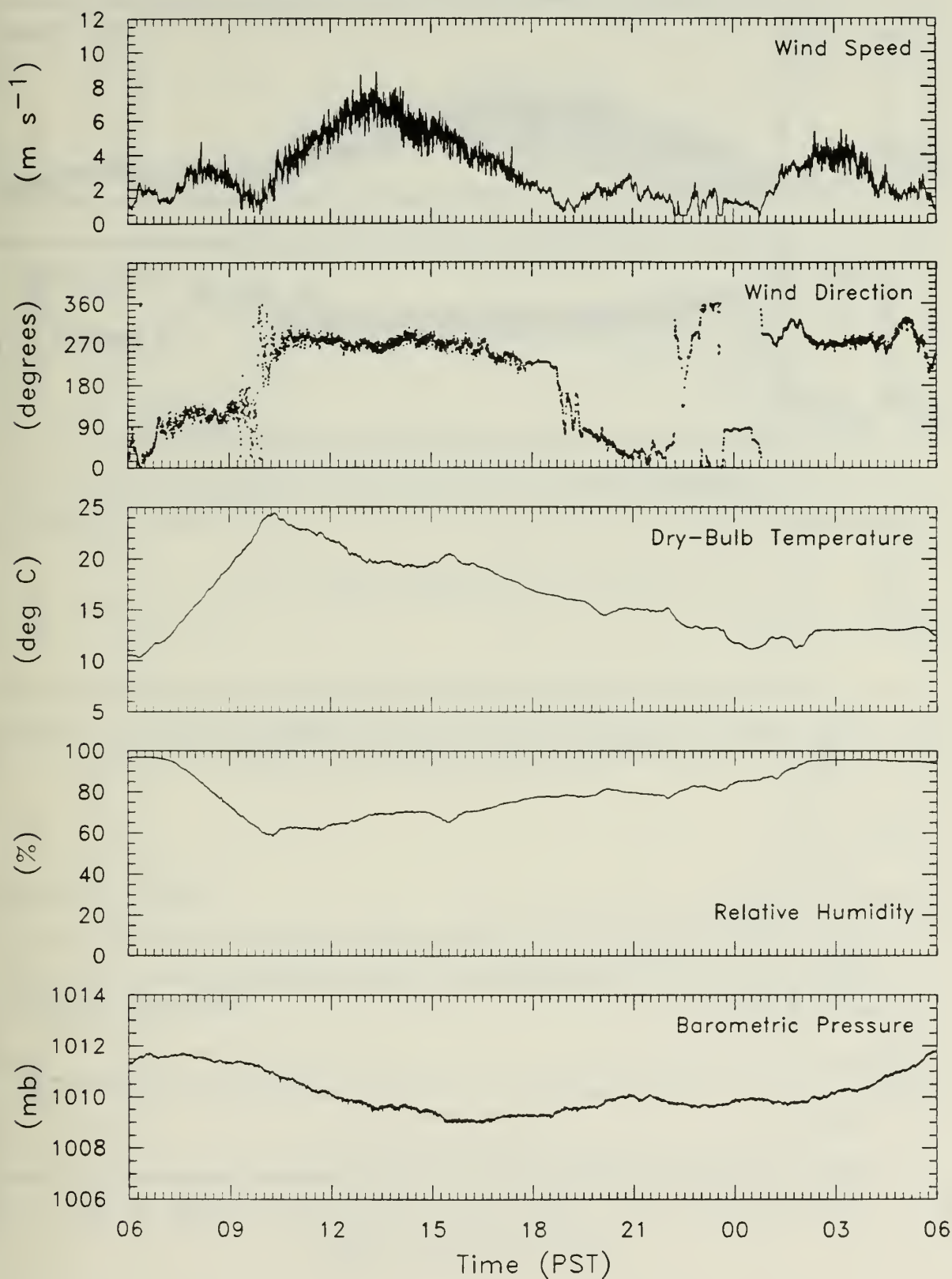
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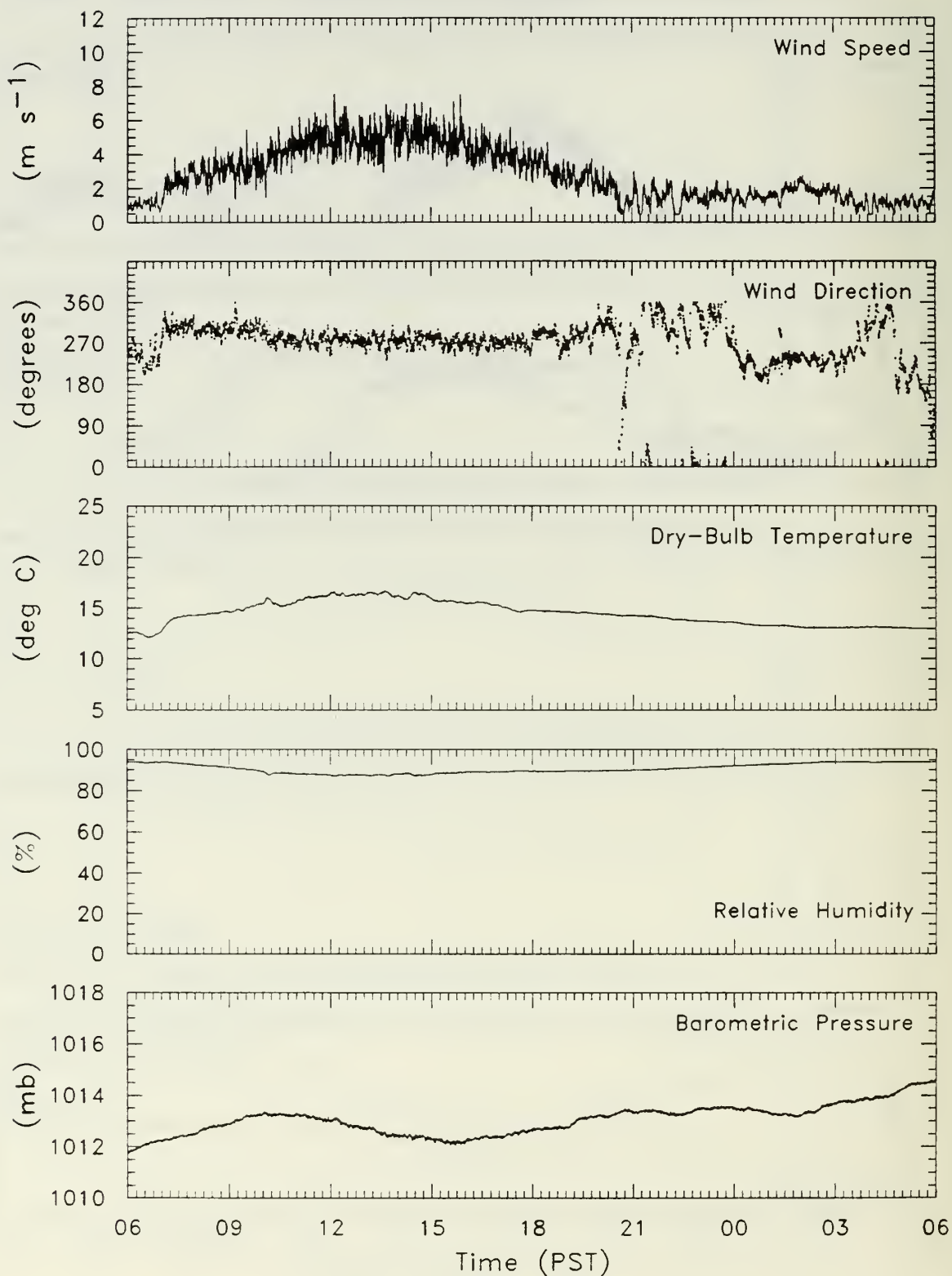
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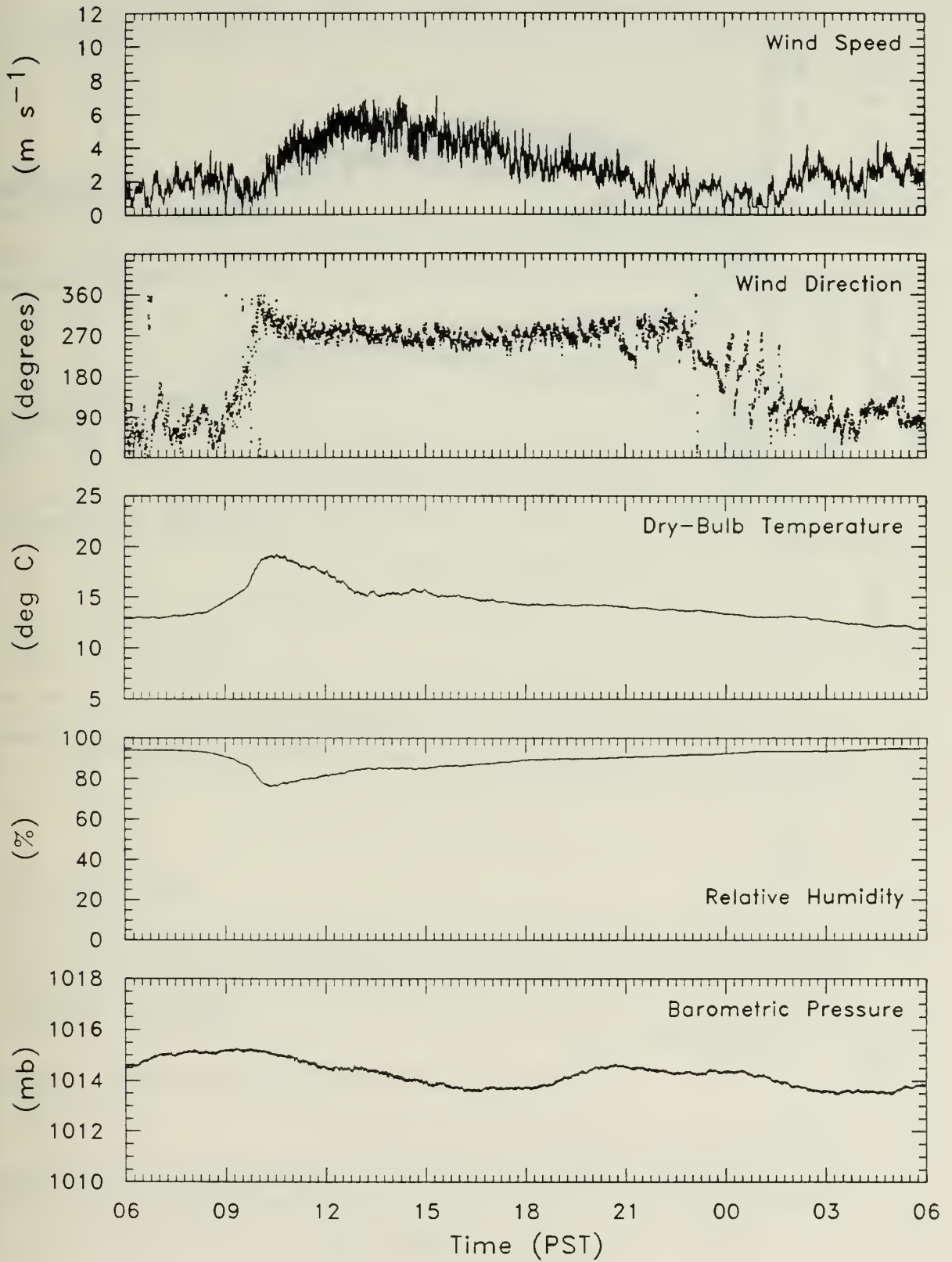
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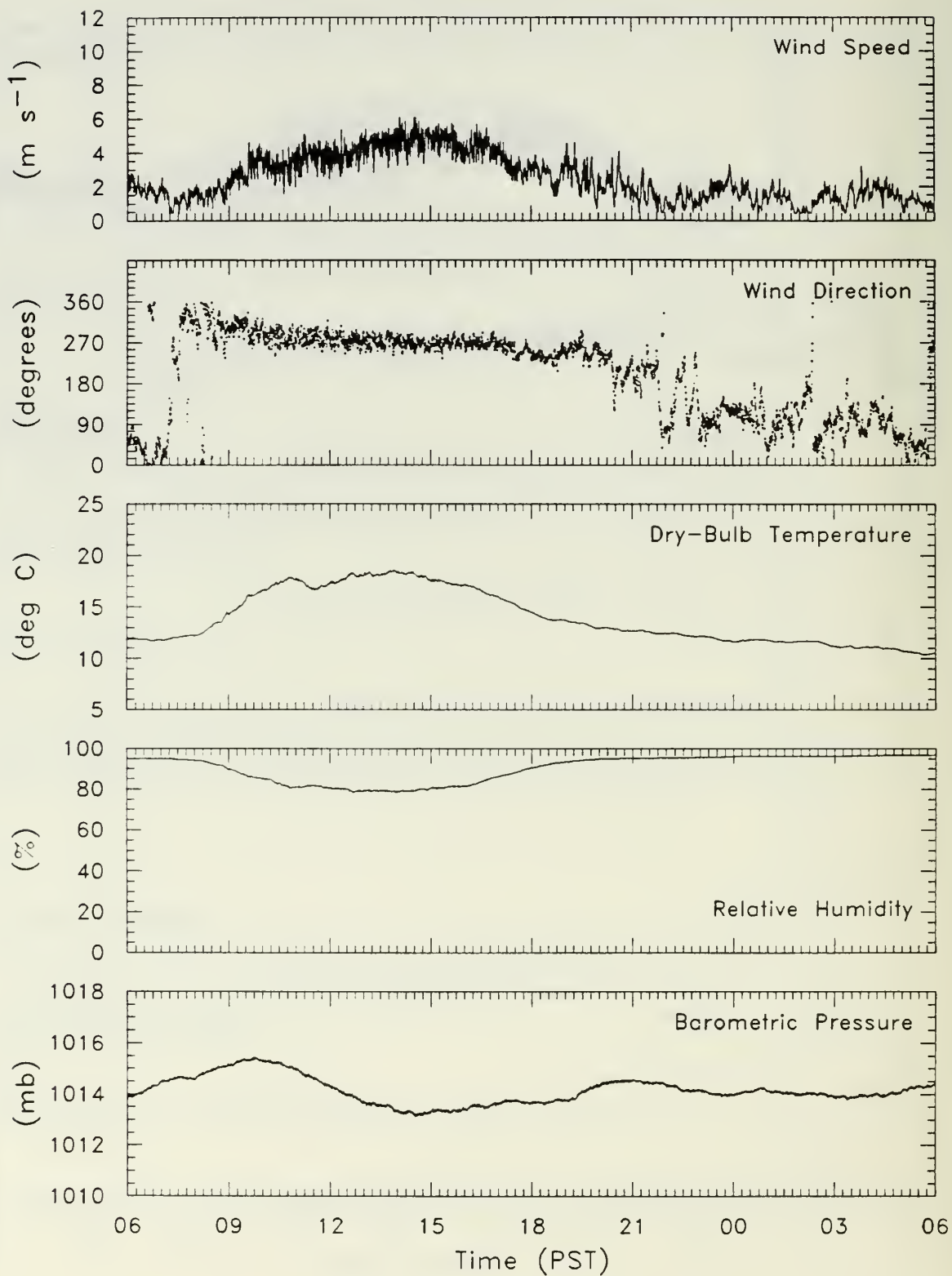
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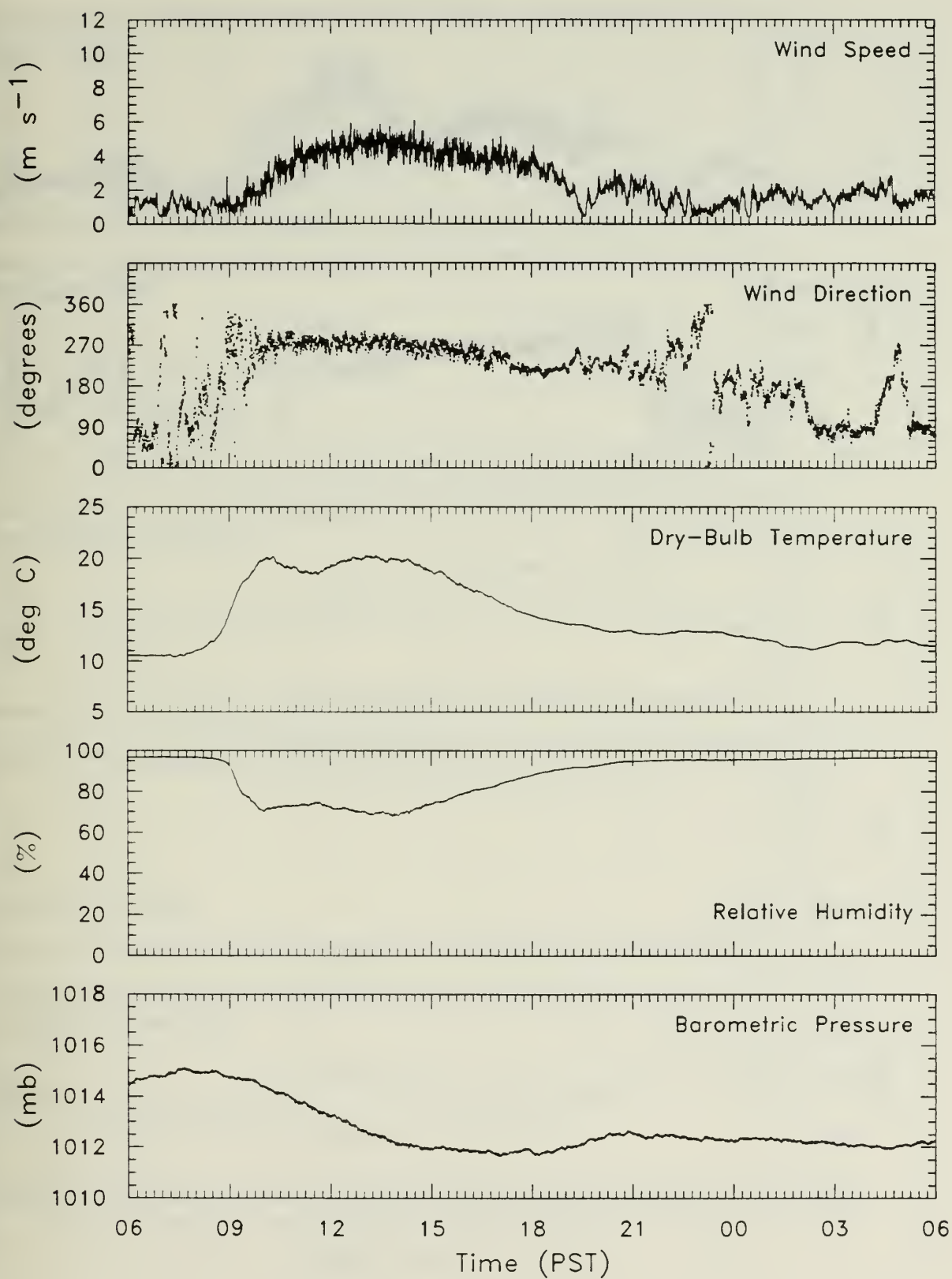
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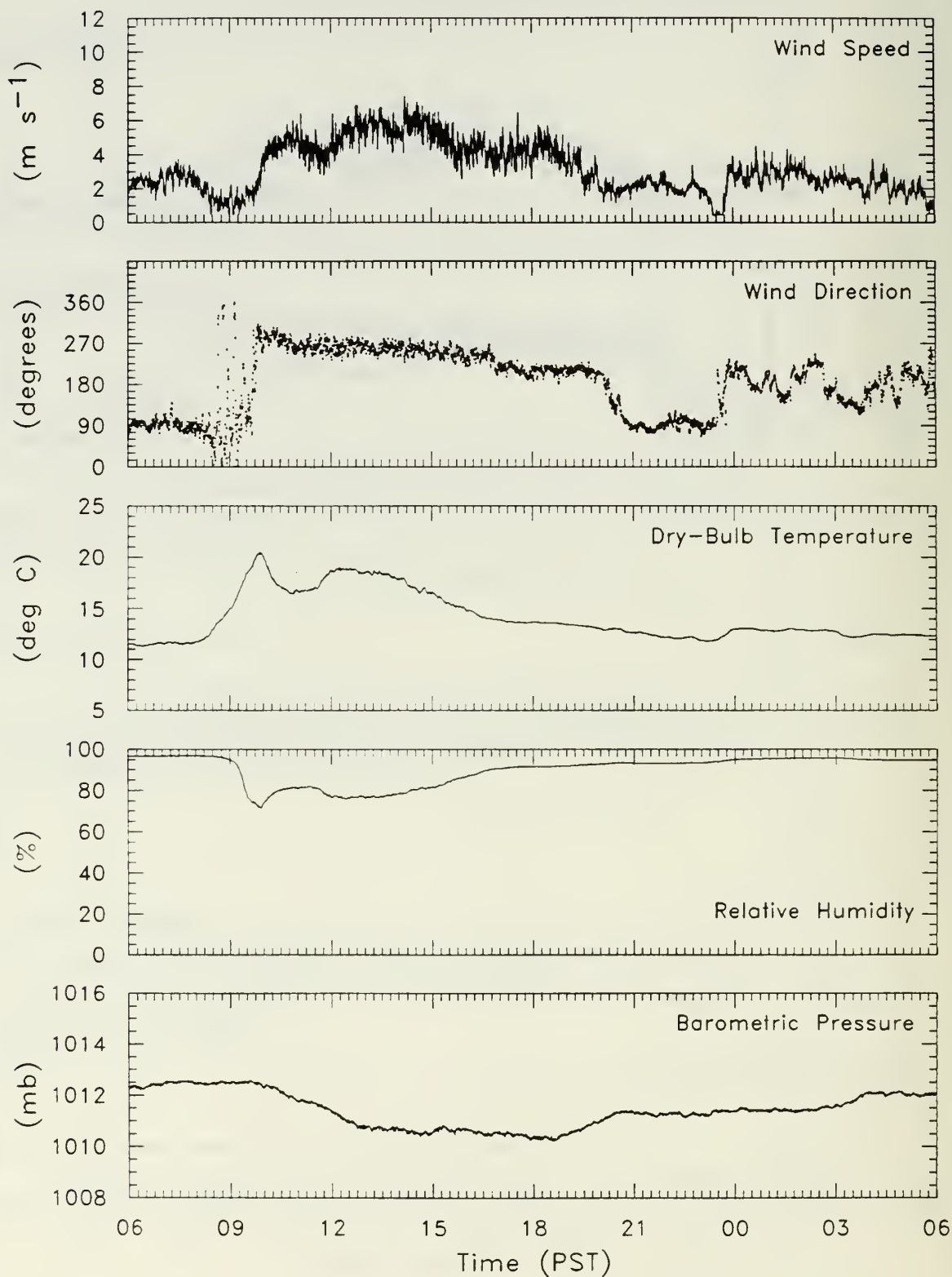
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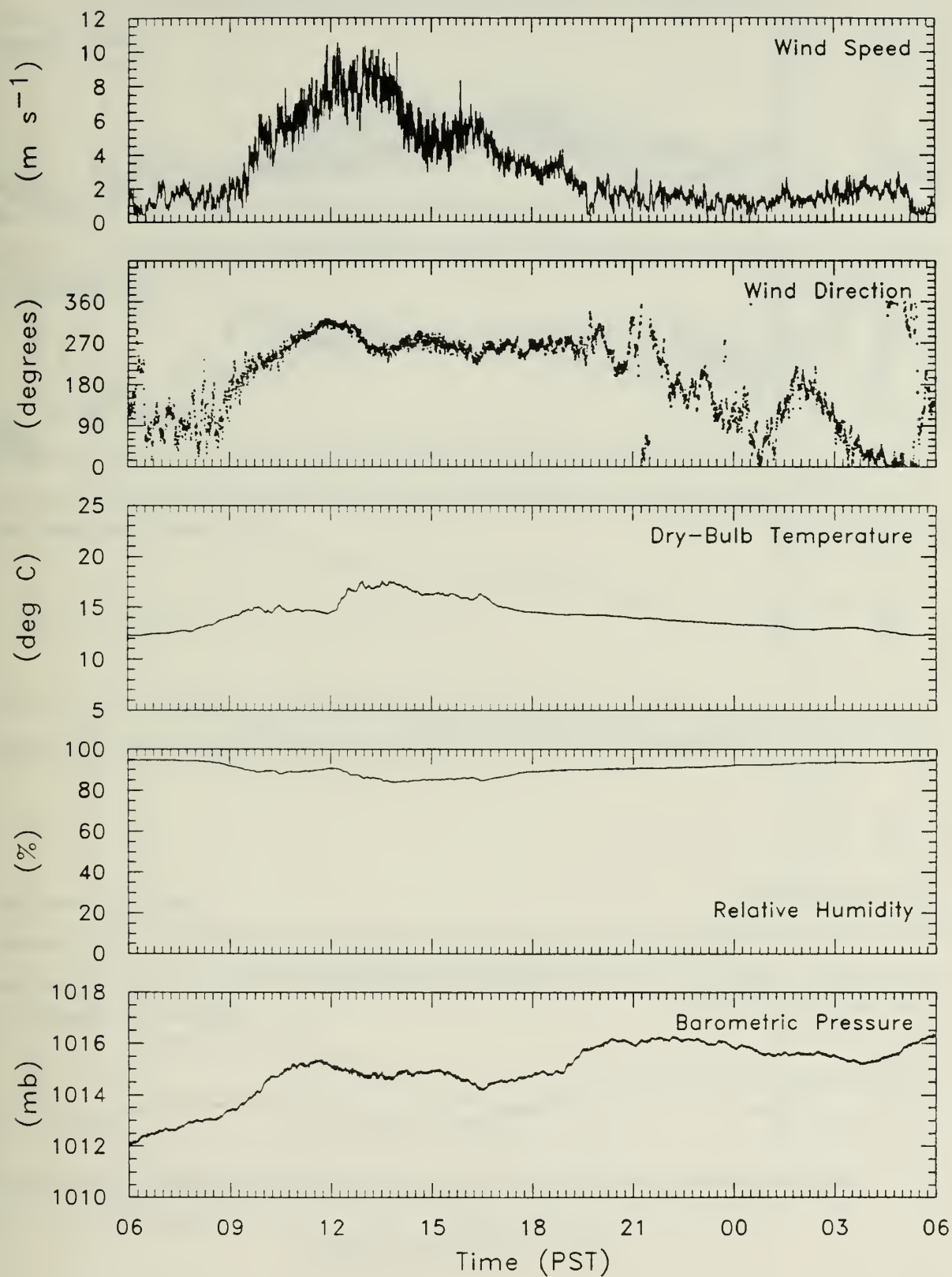
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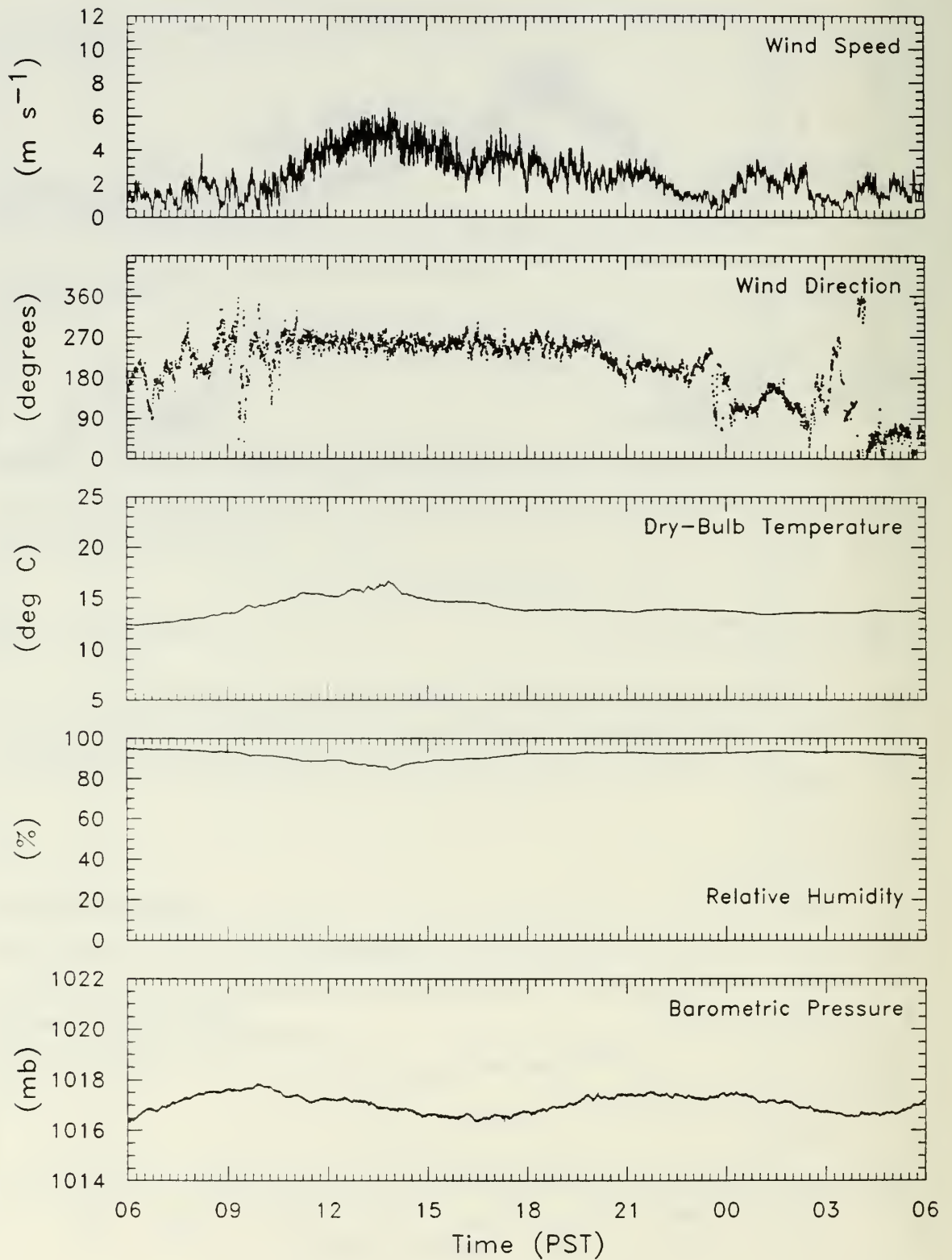
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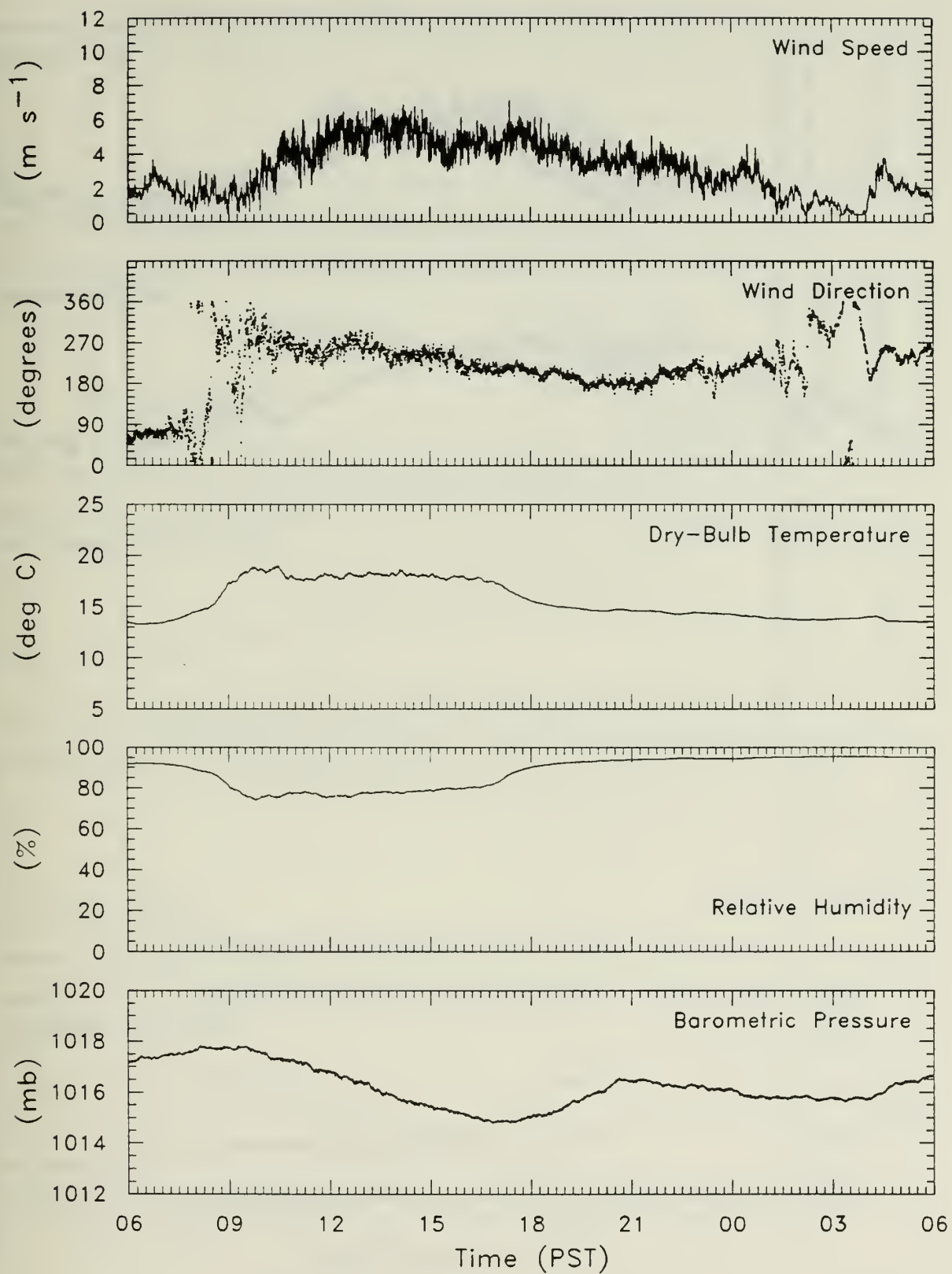
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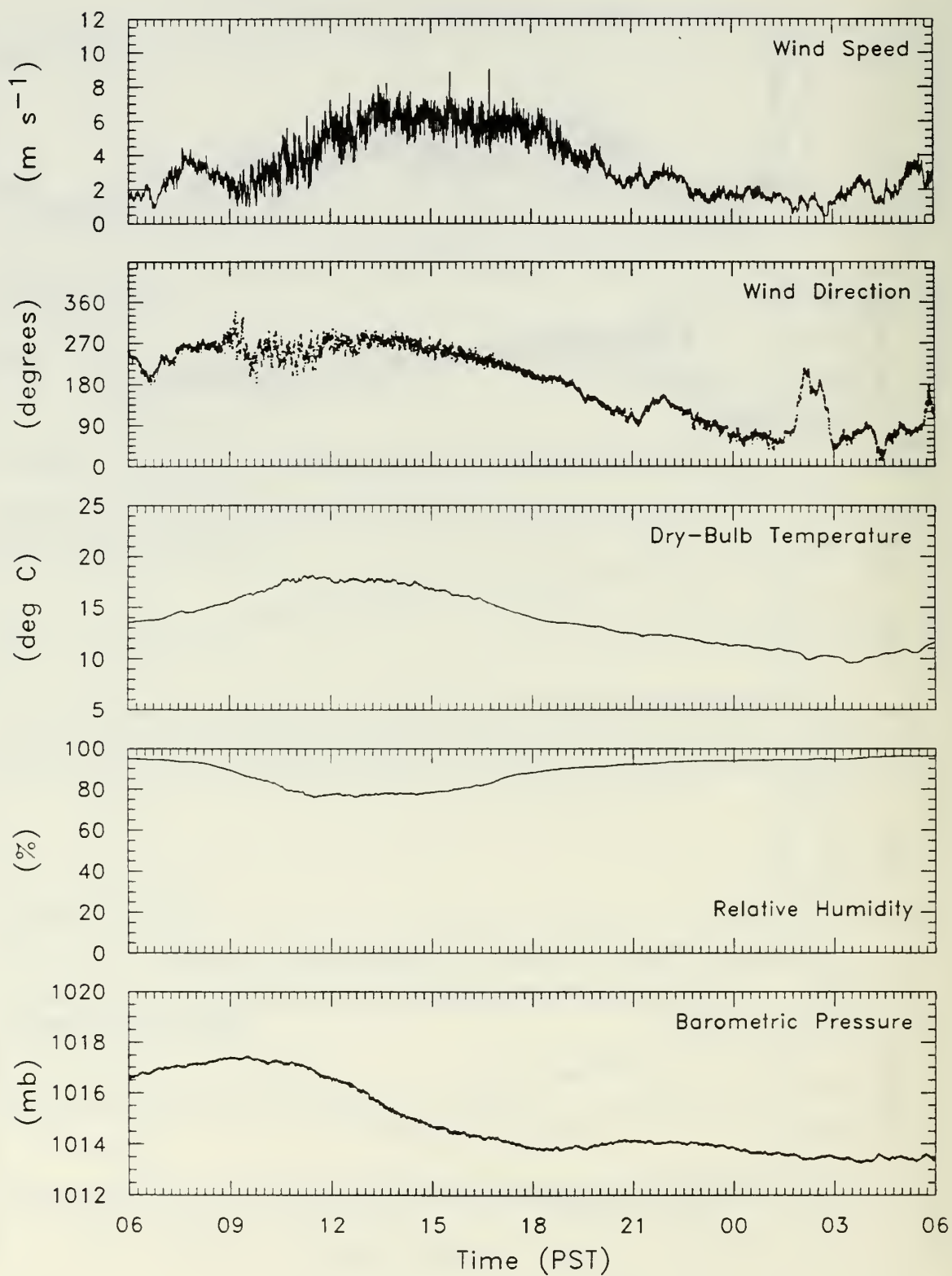
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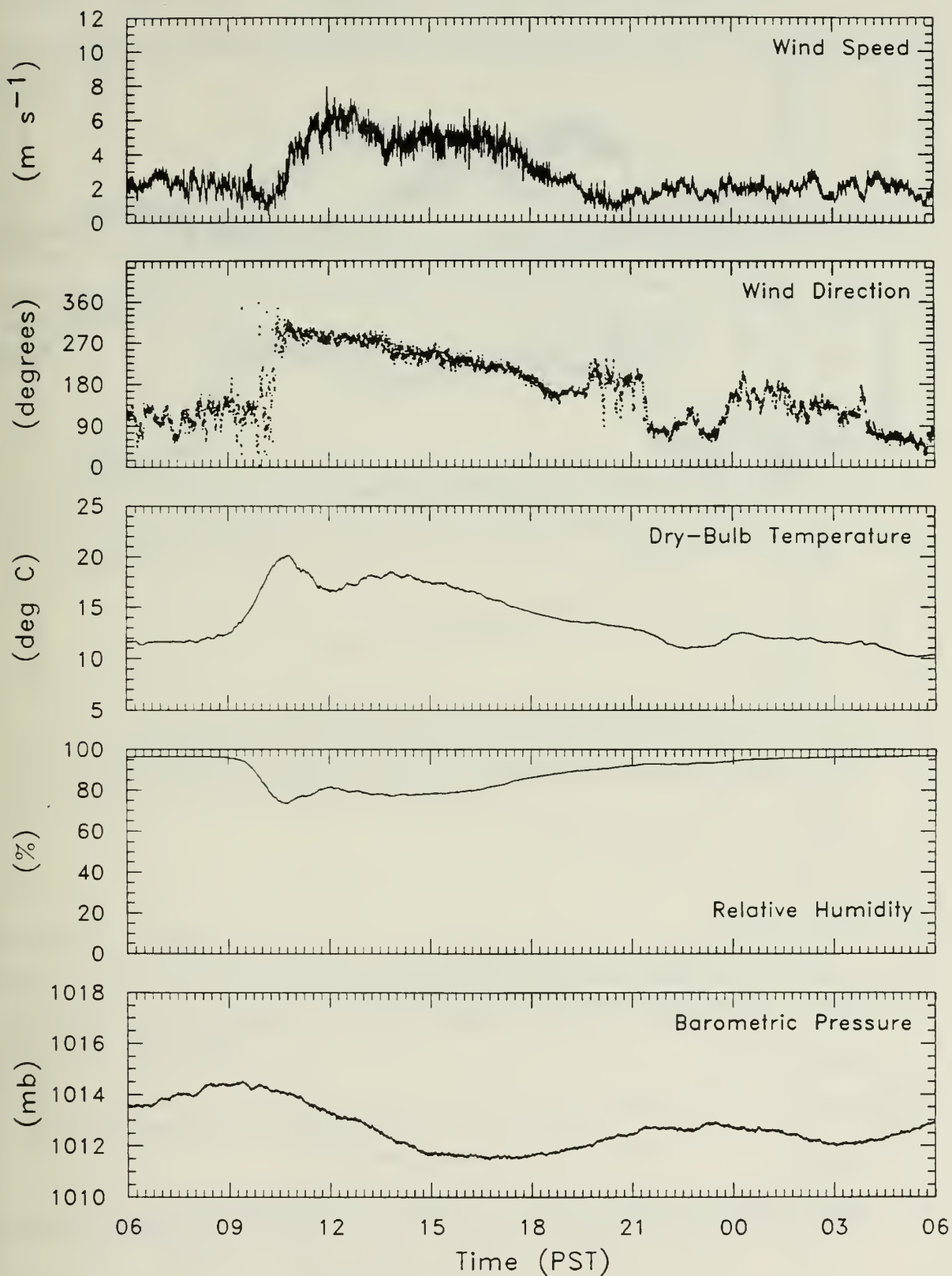
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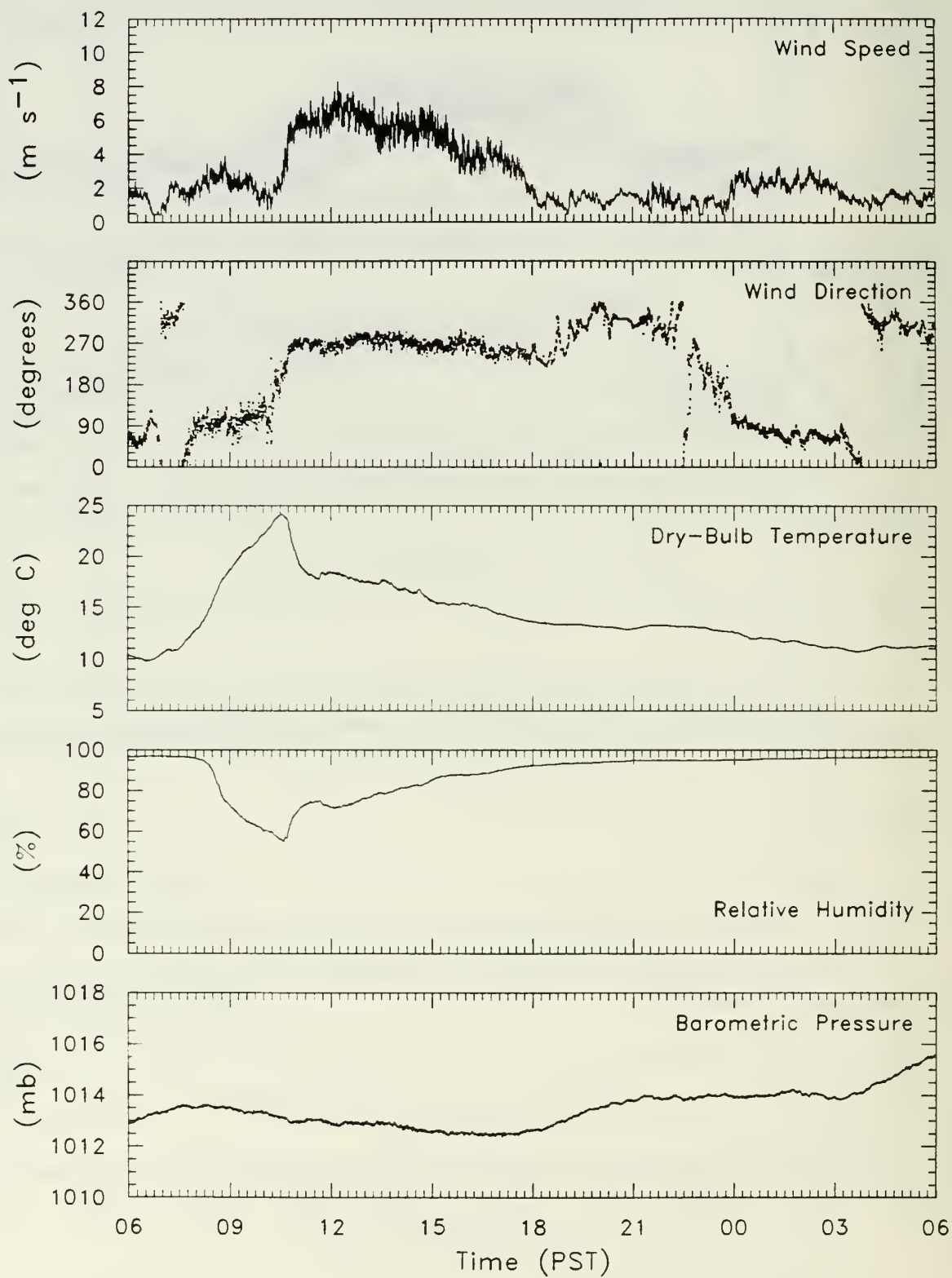
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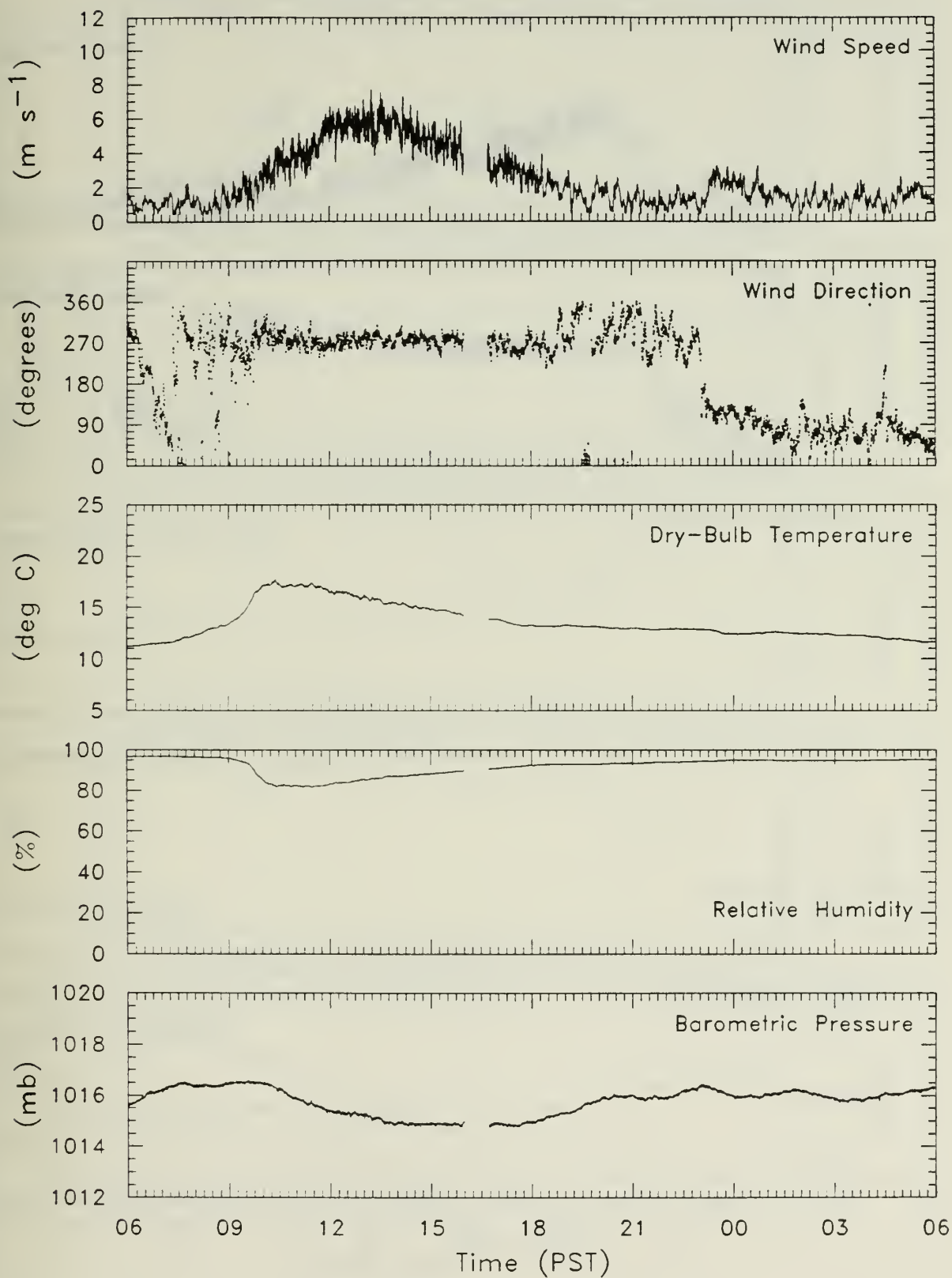
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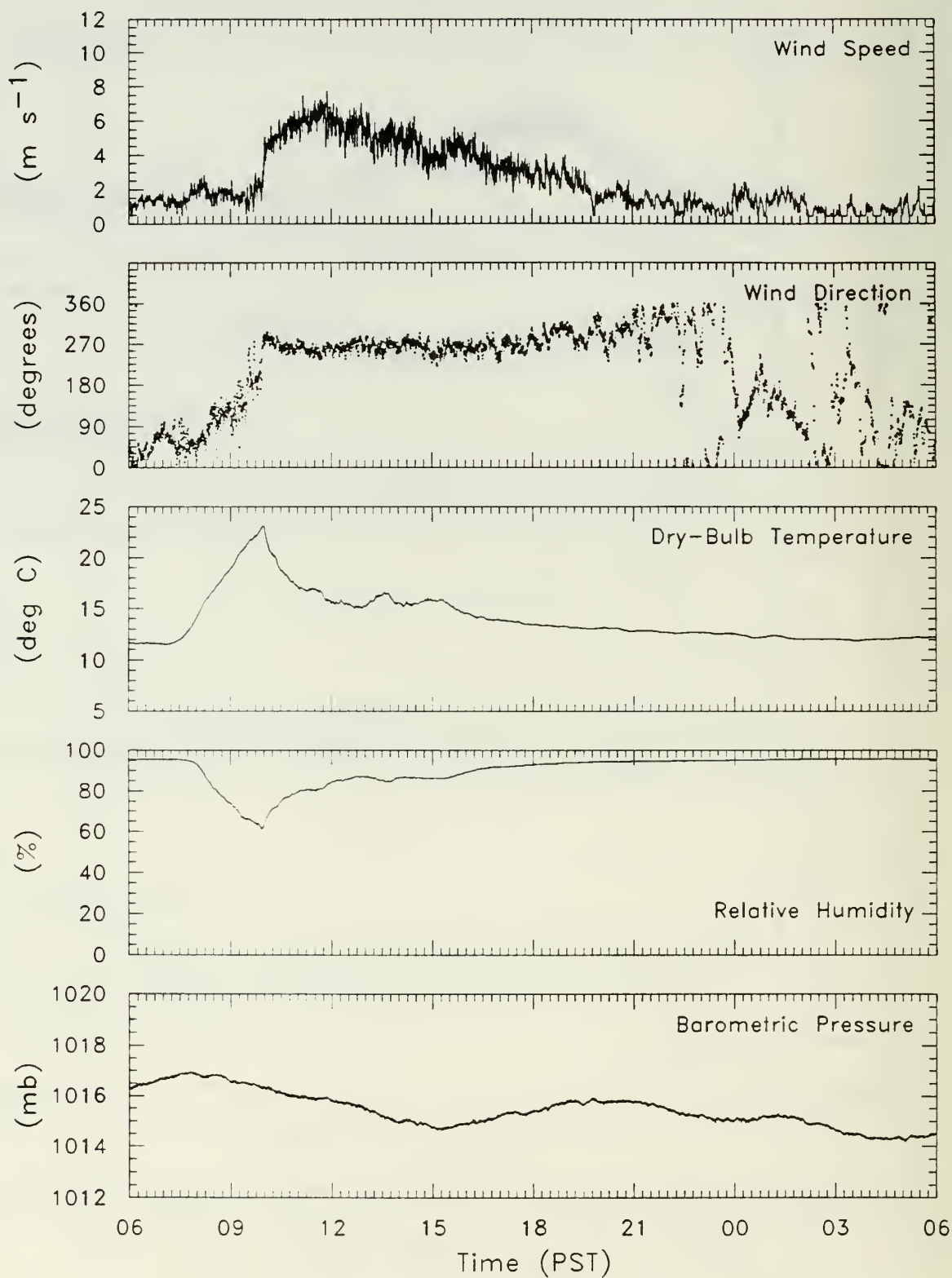
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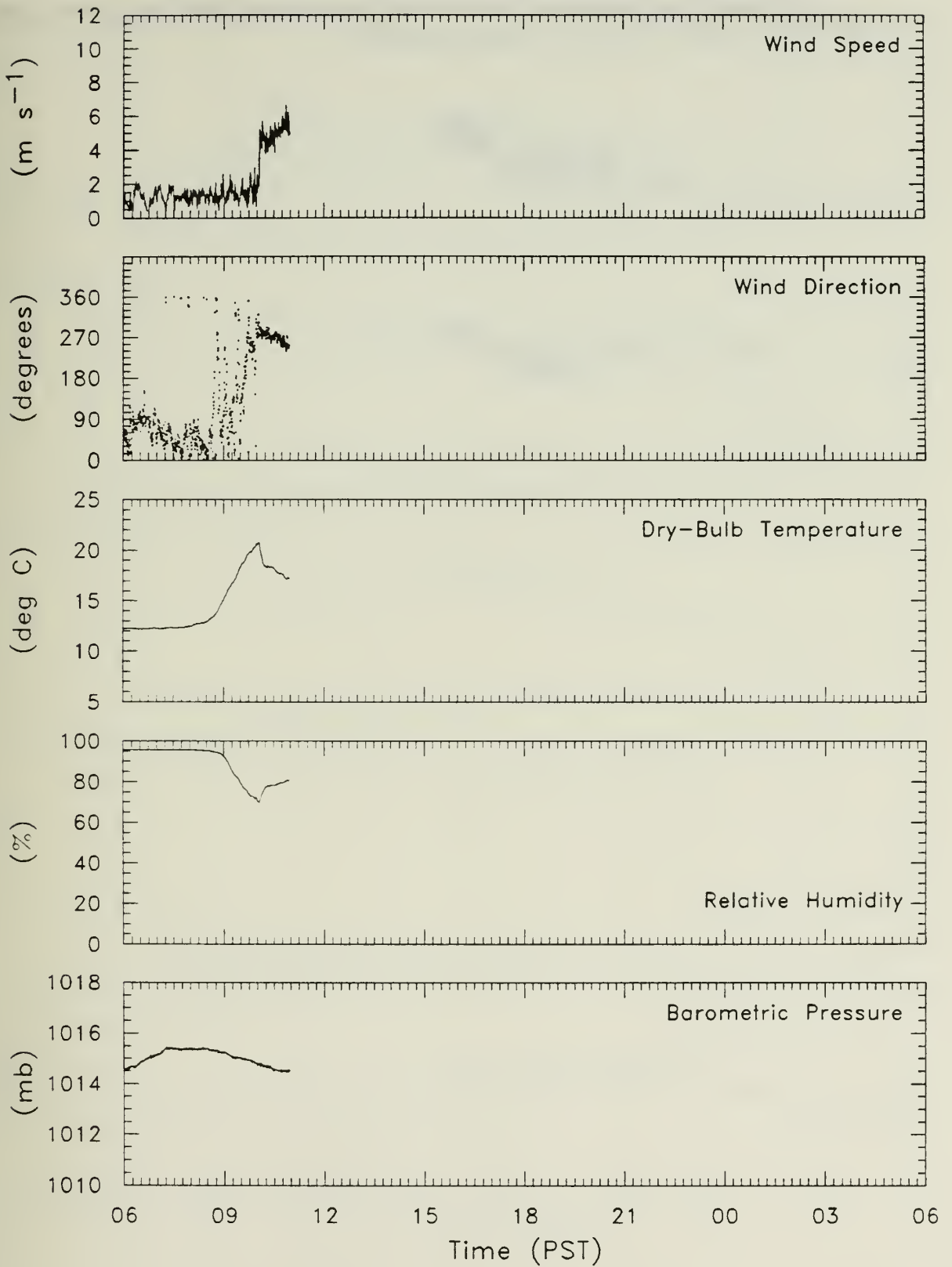
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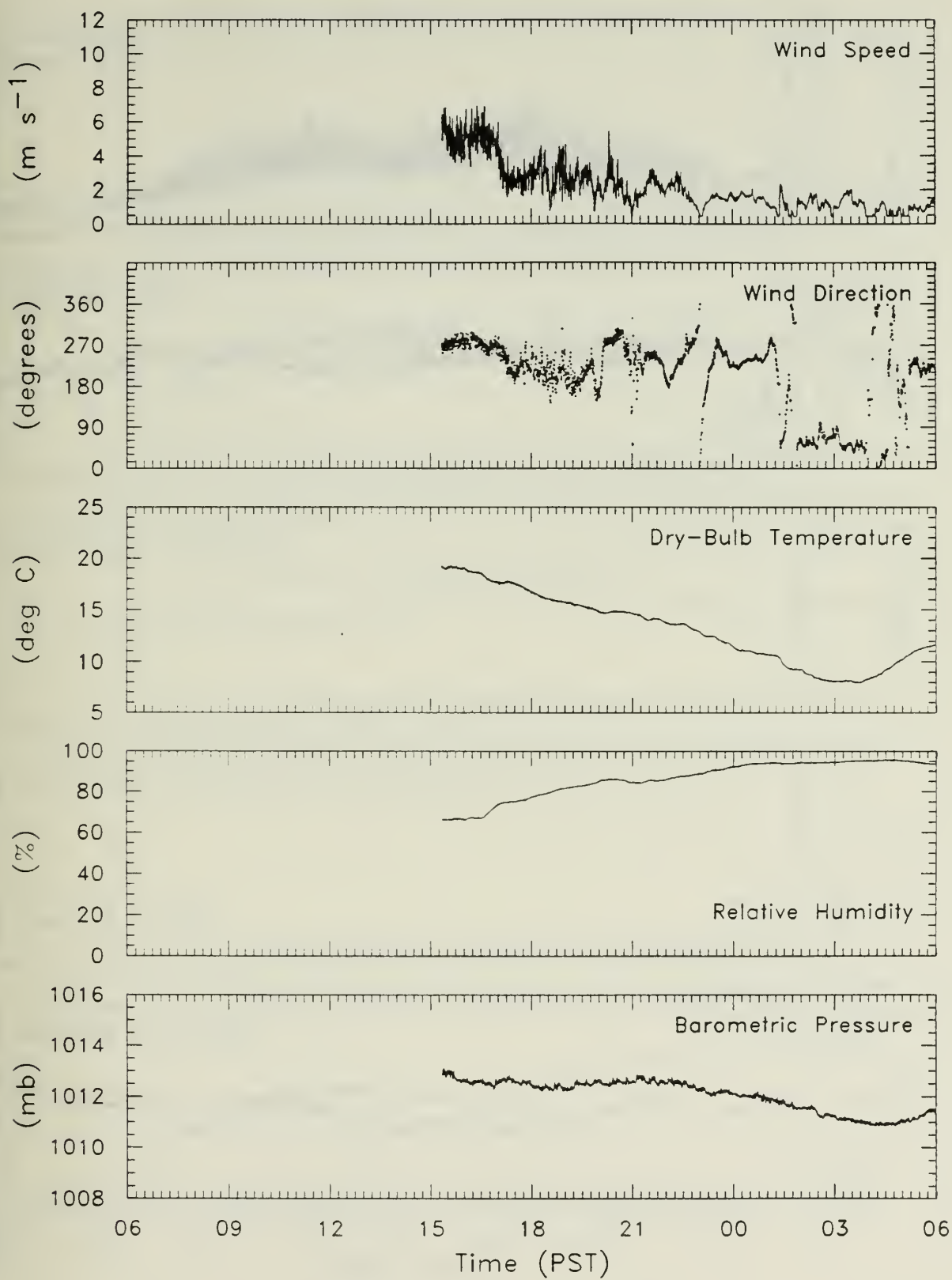
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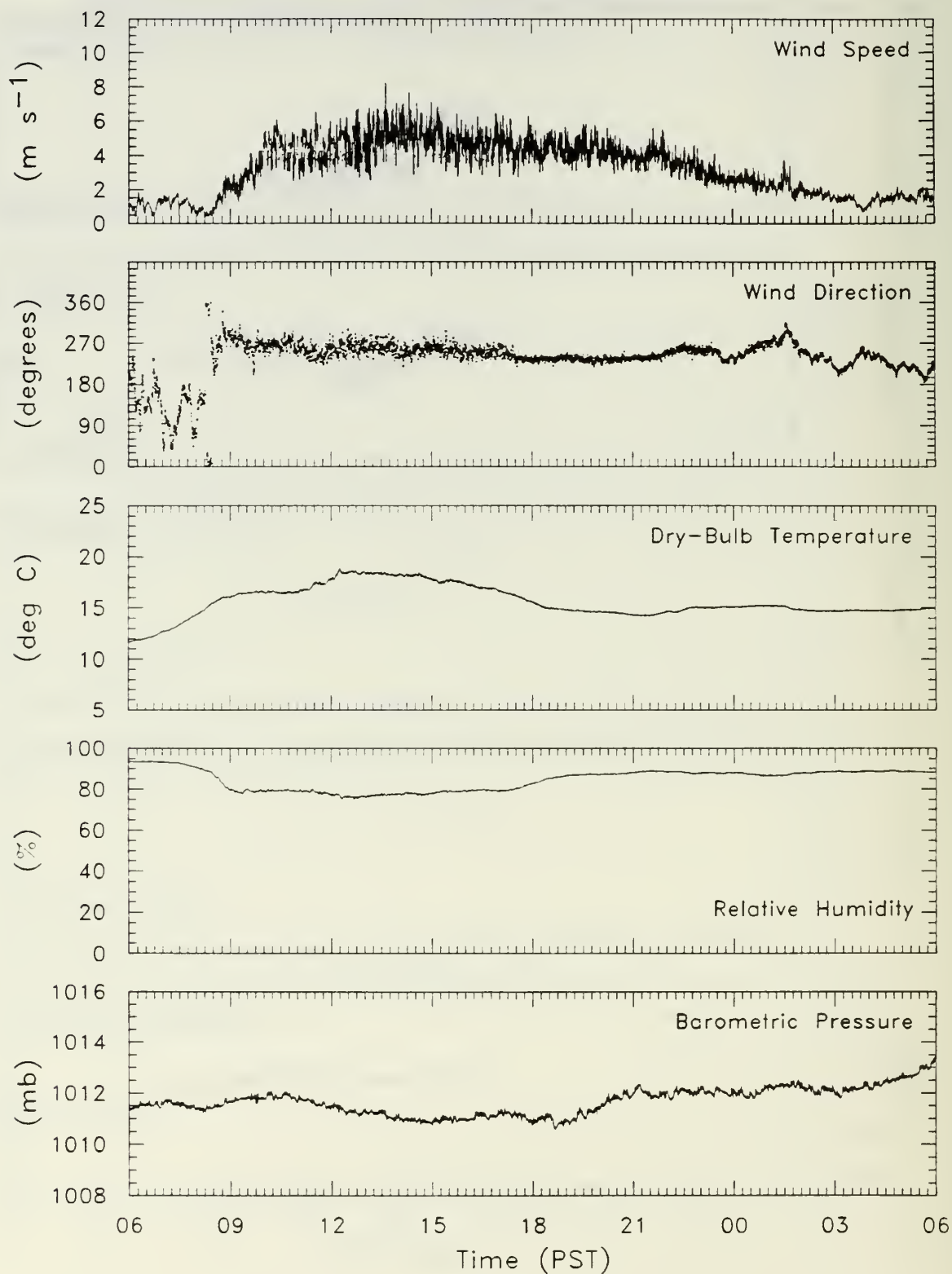
6. TIME SERIES, EASTERN VERTEX OF THE SODAR TRIANGLE--NEPRF

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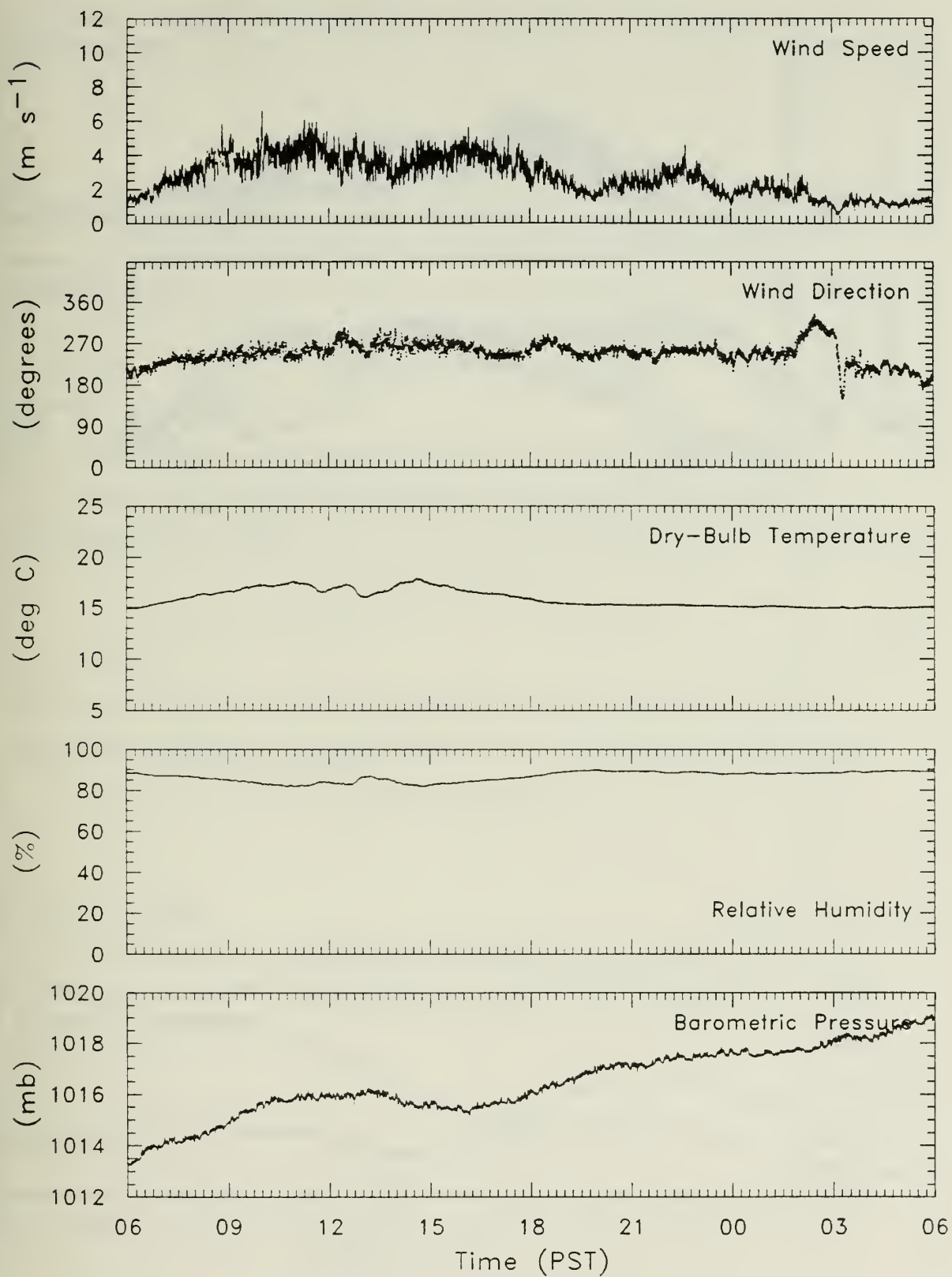
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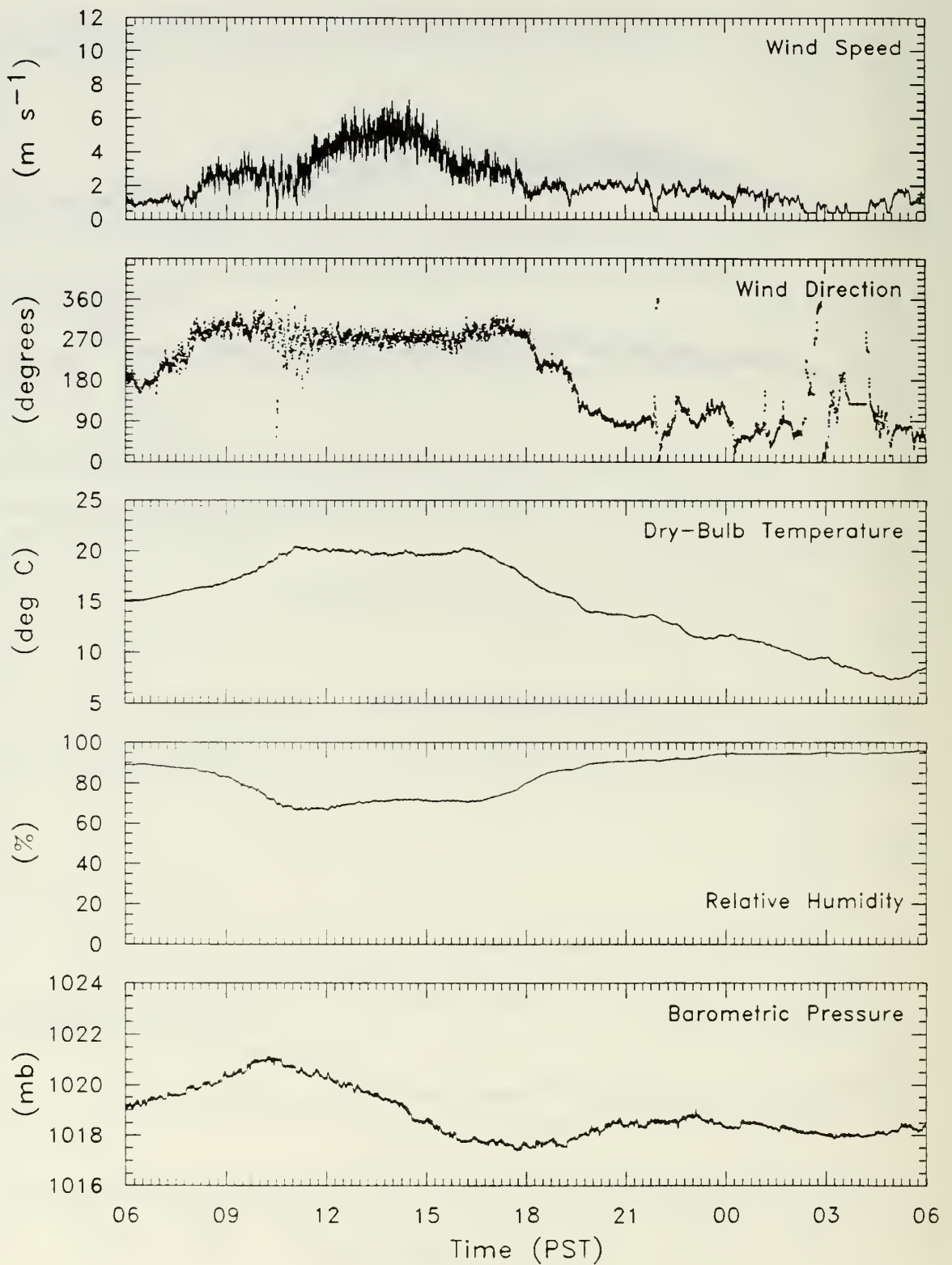
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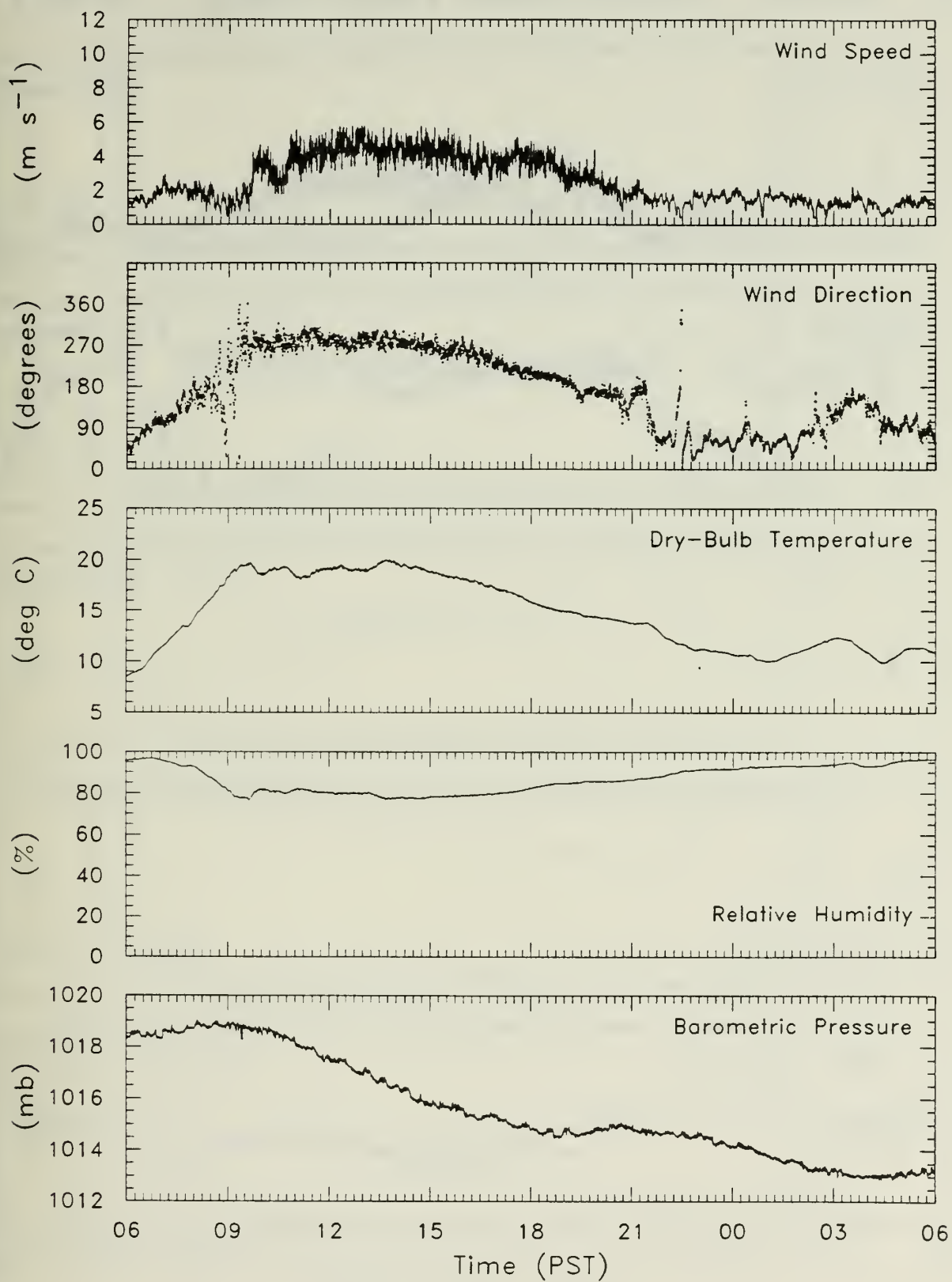
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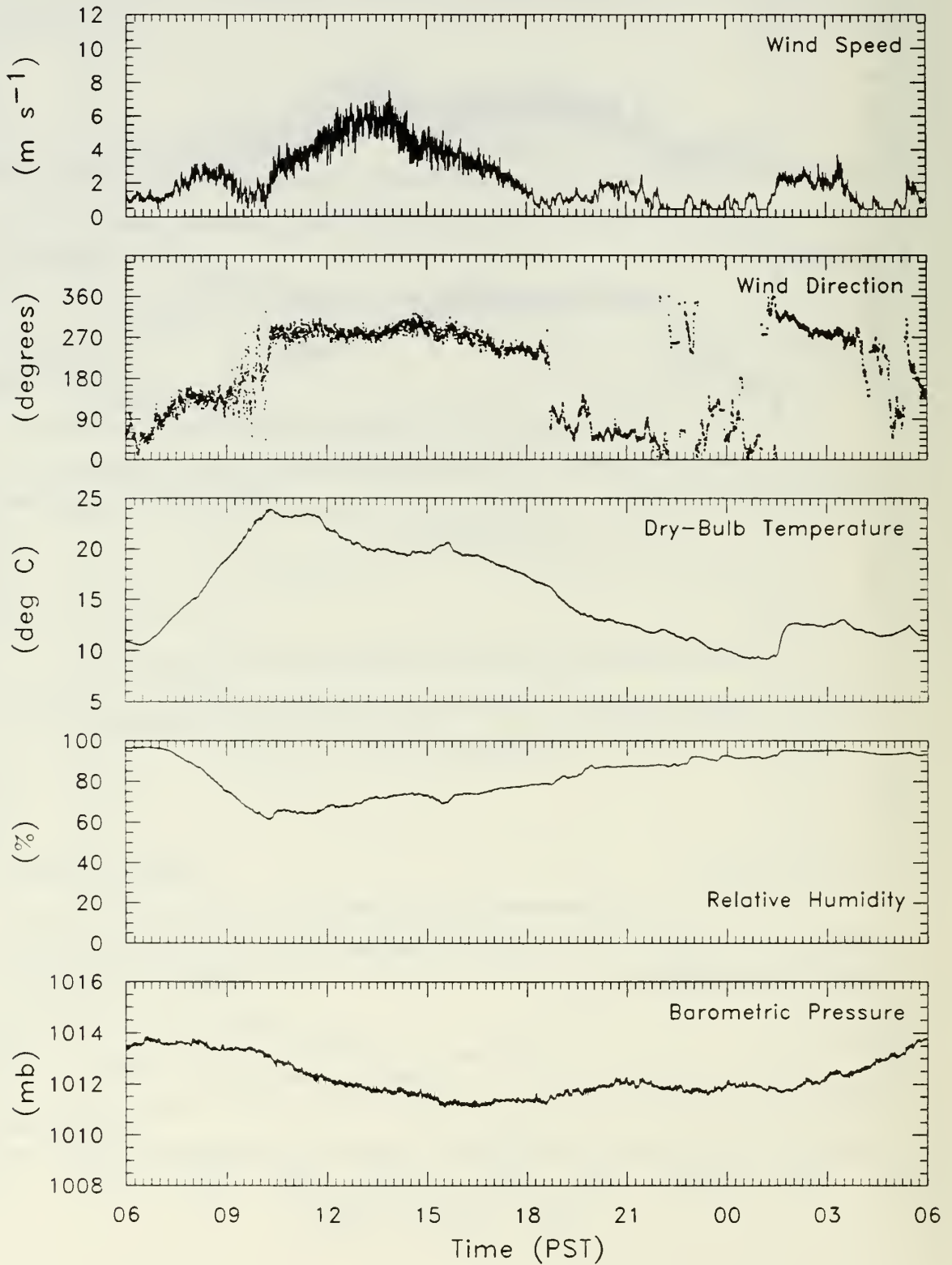
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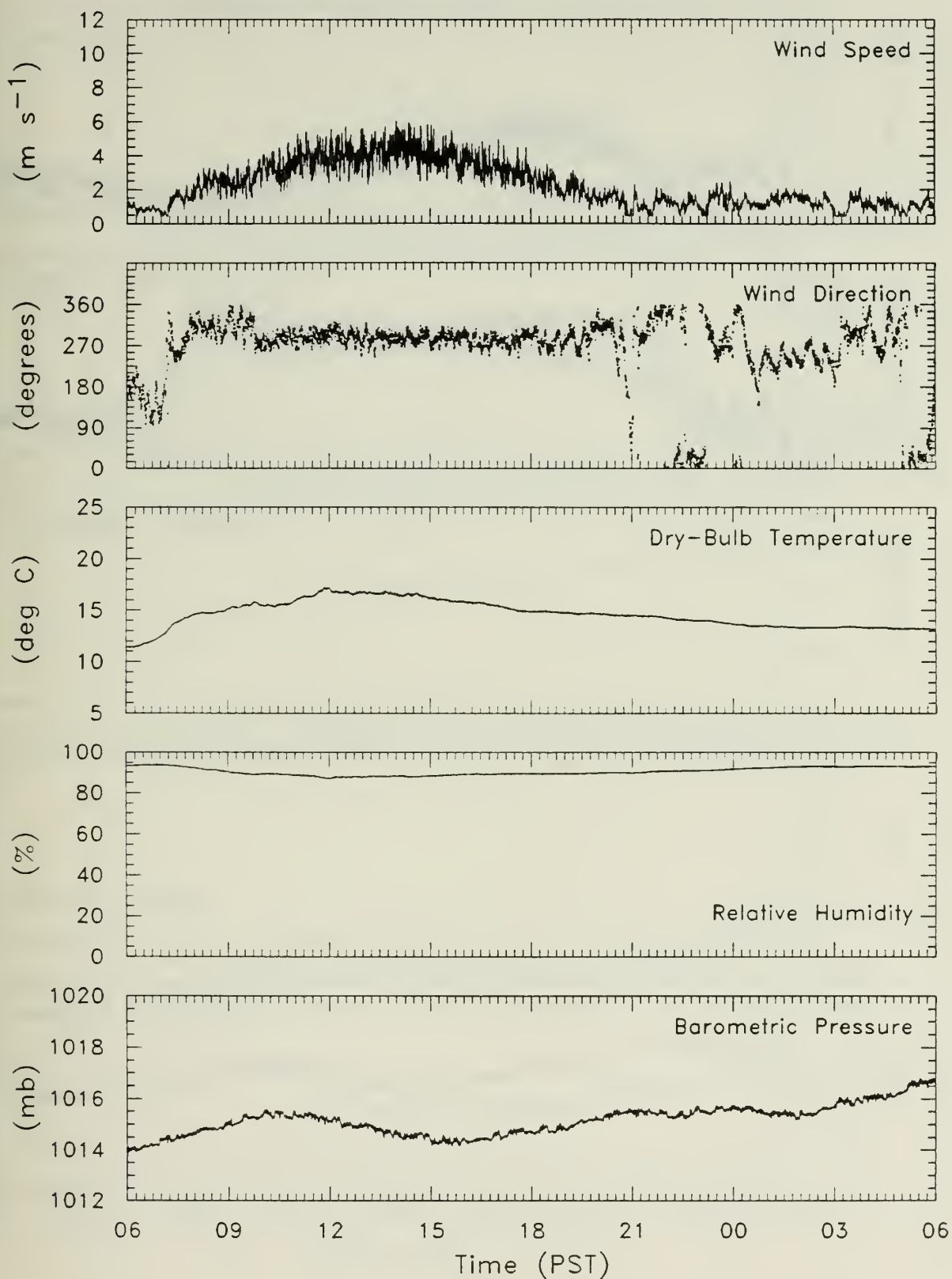
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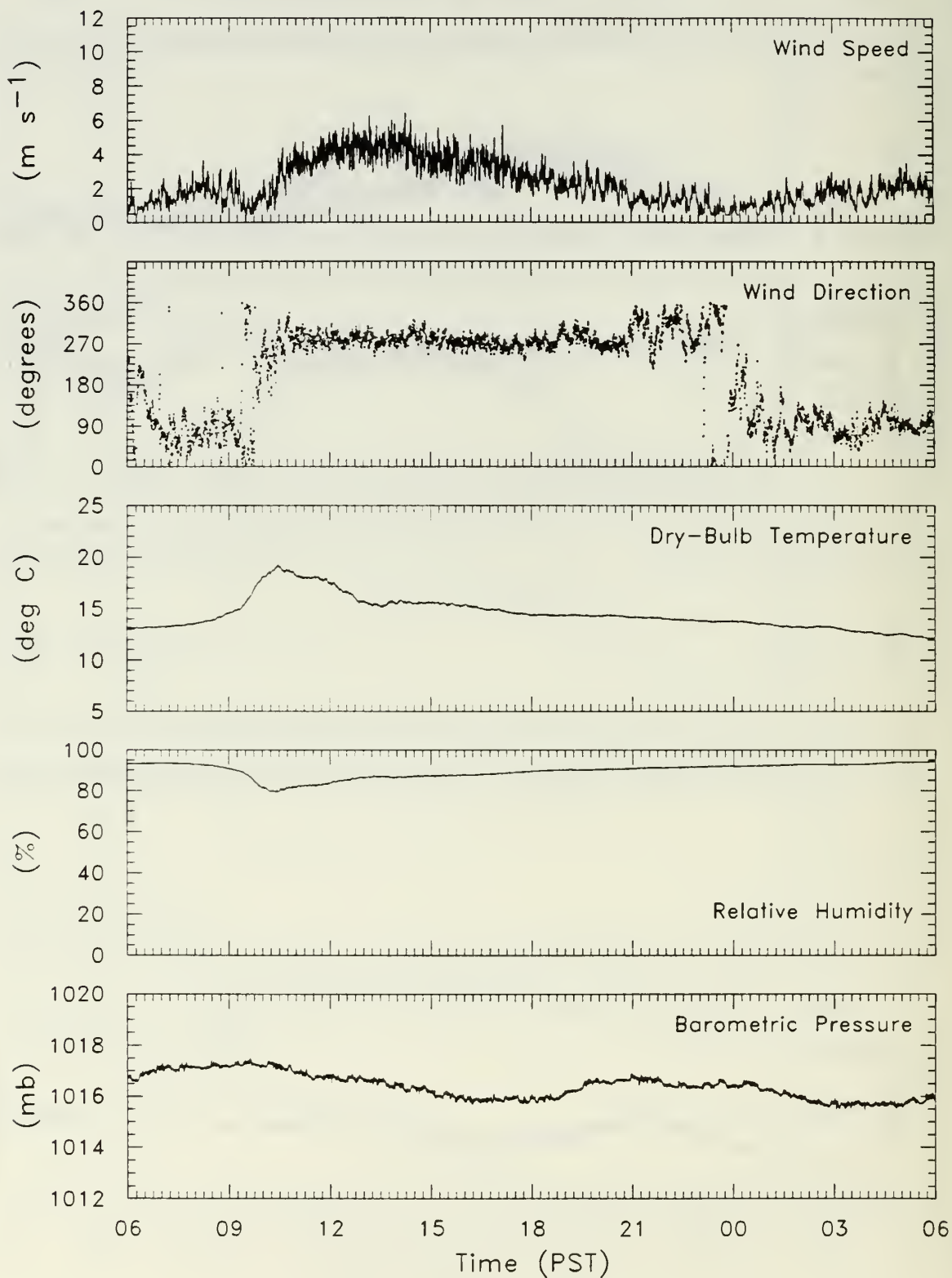
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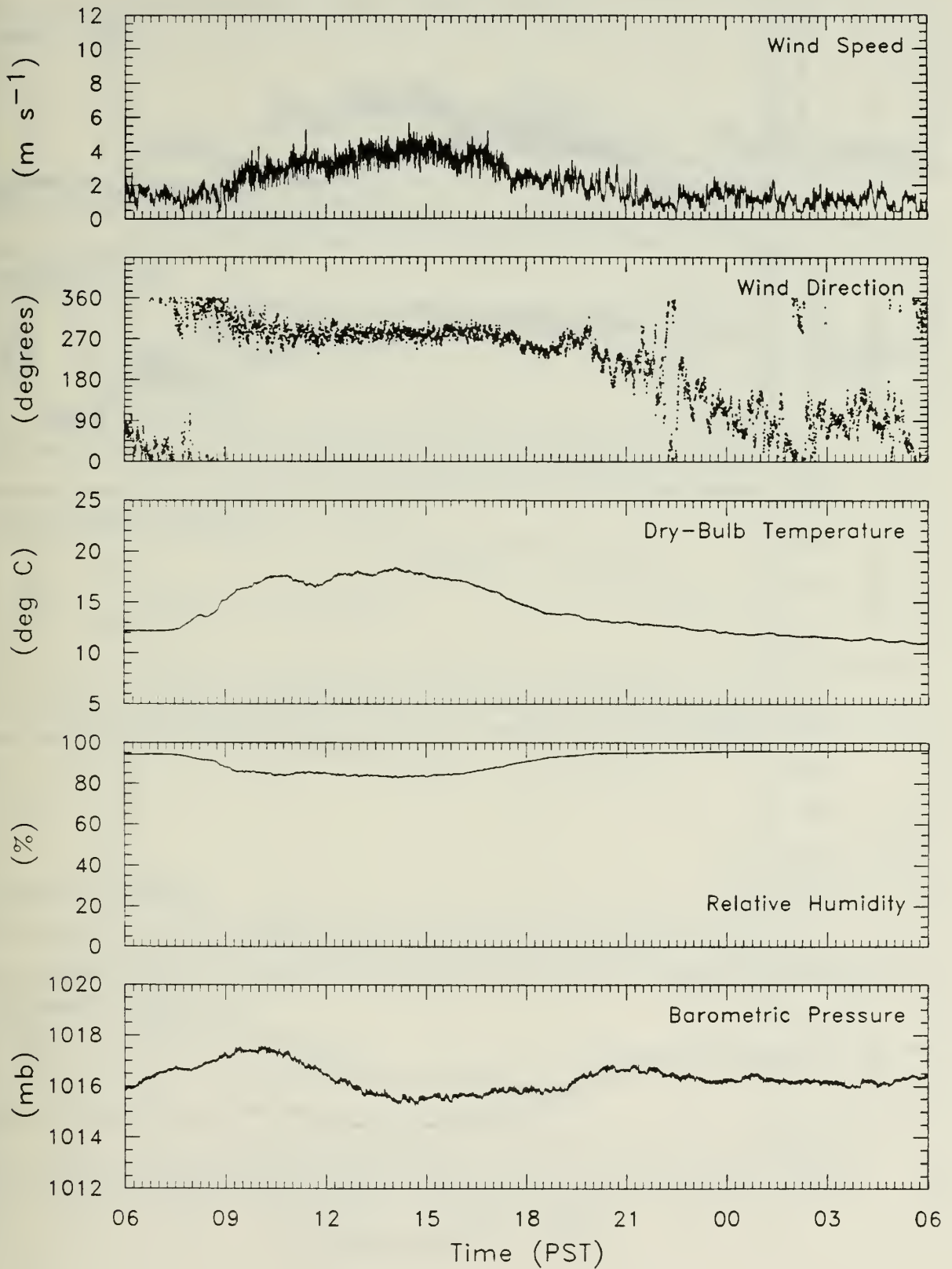
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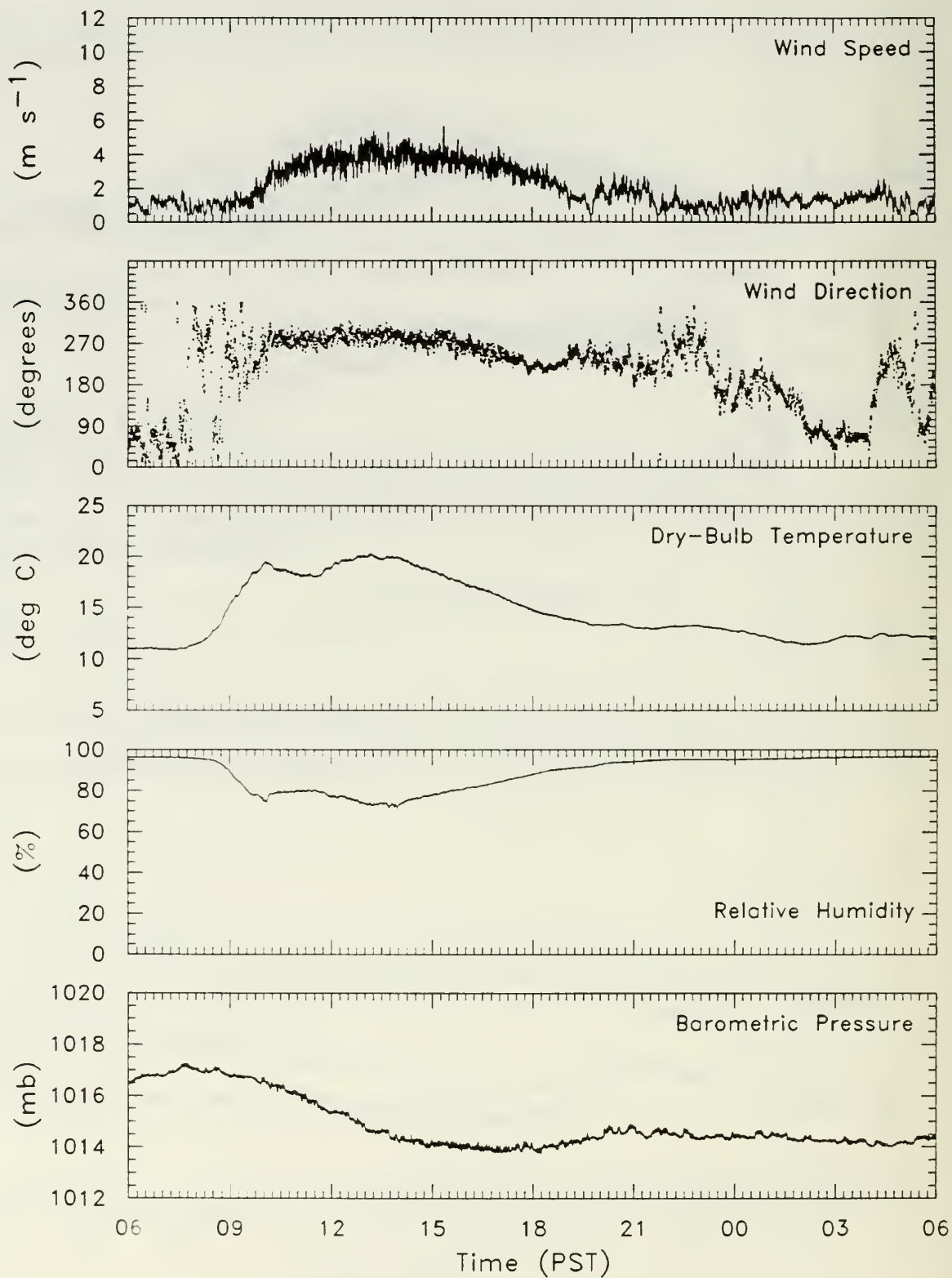
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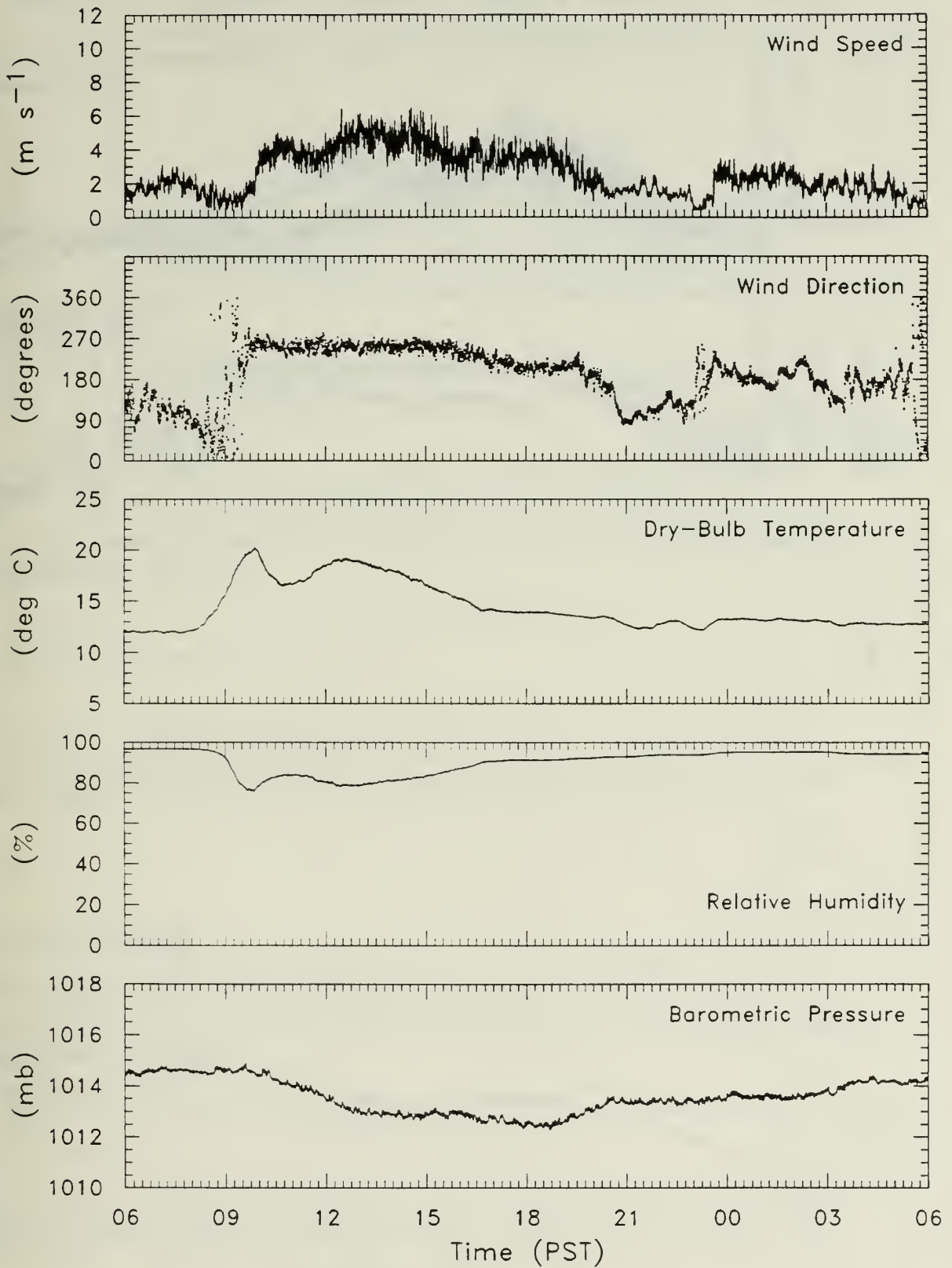
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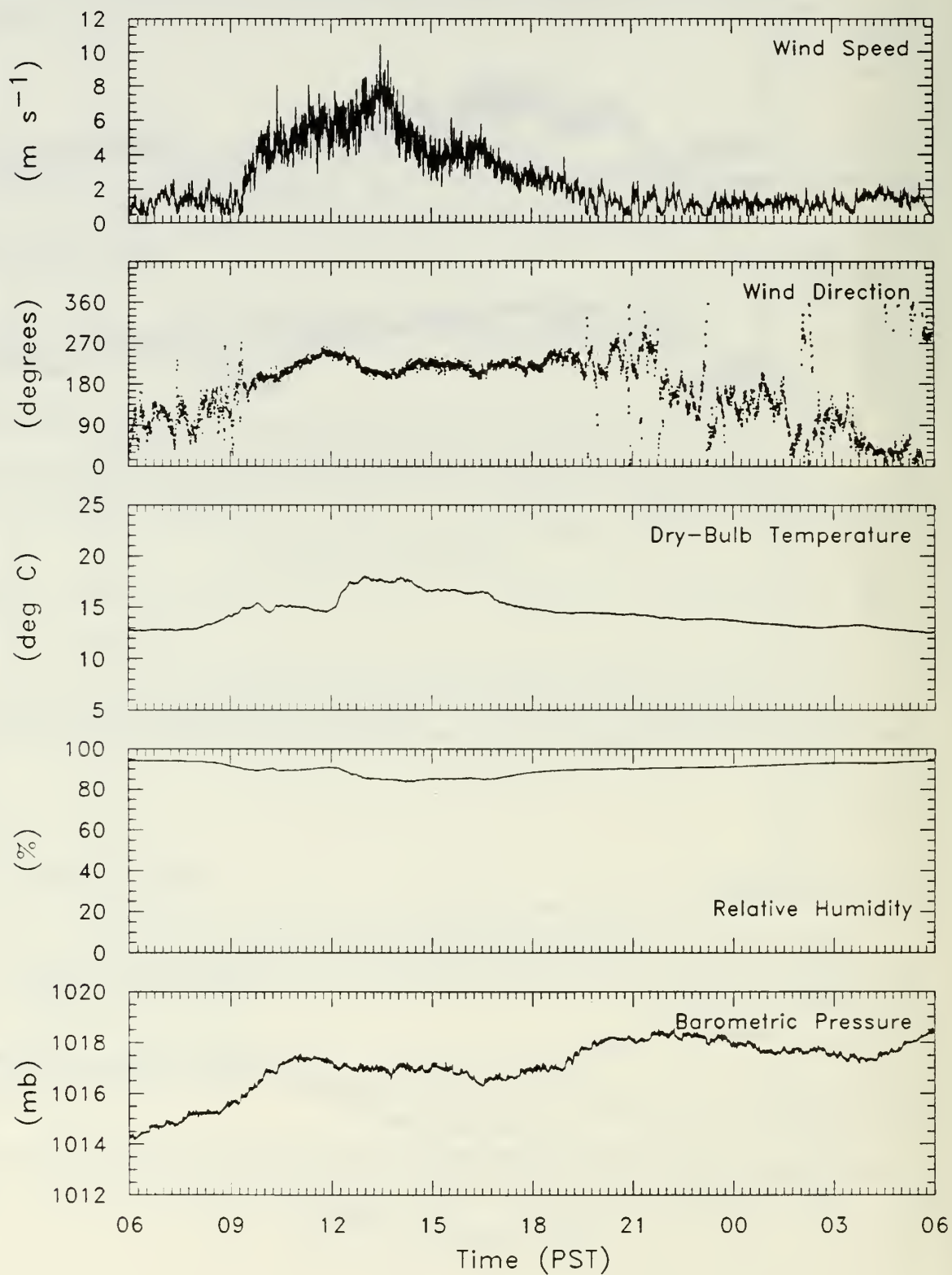
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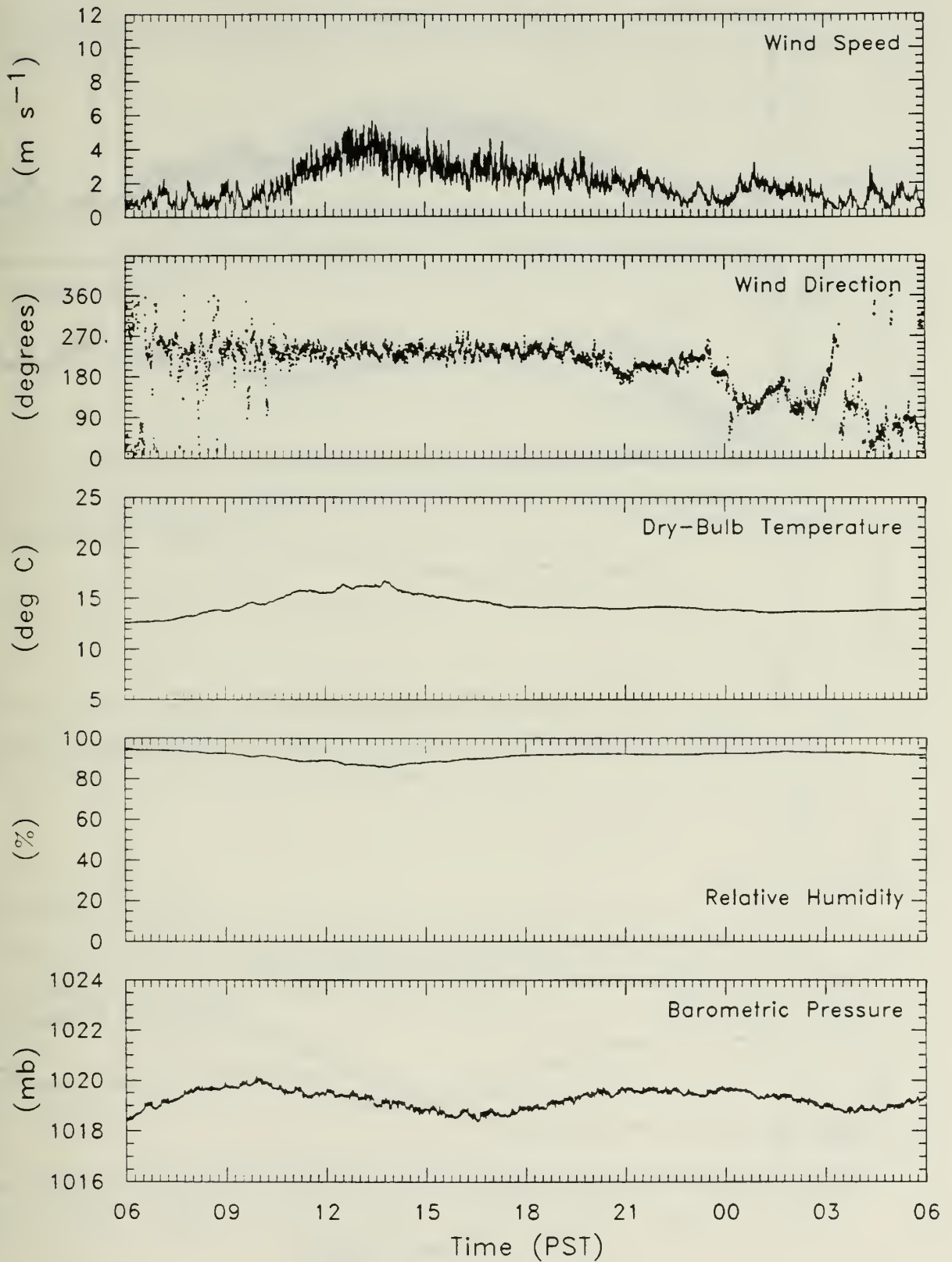
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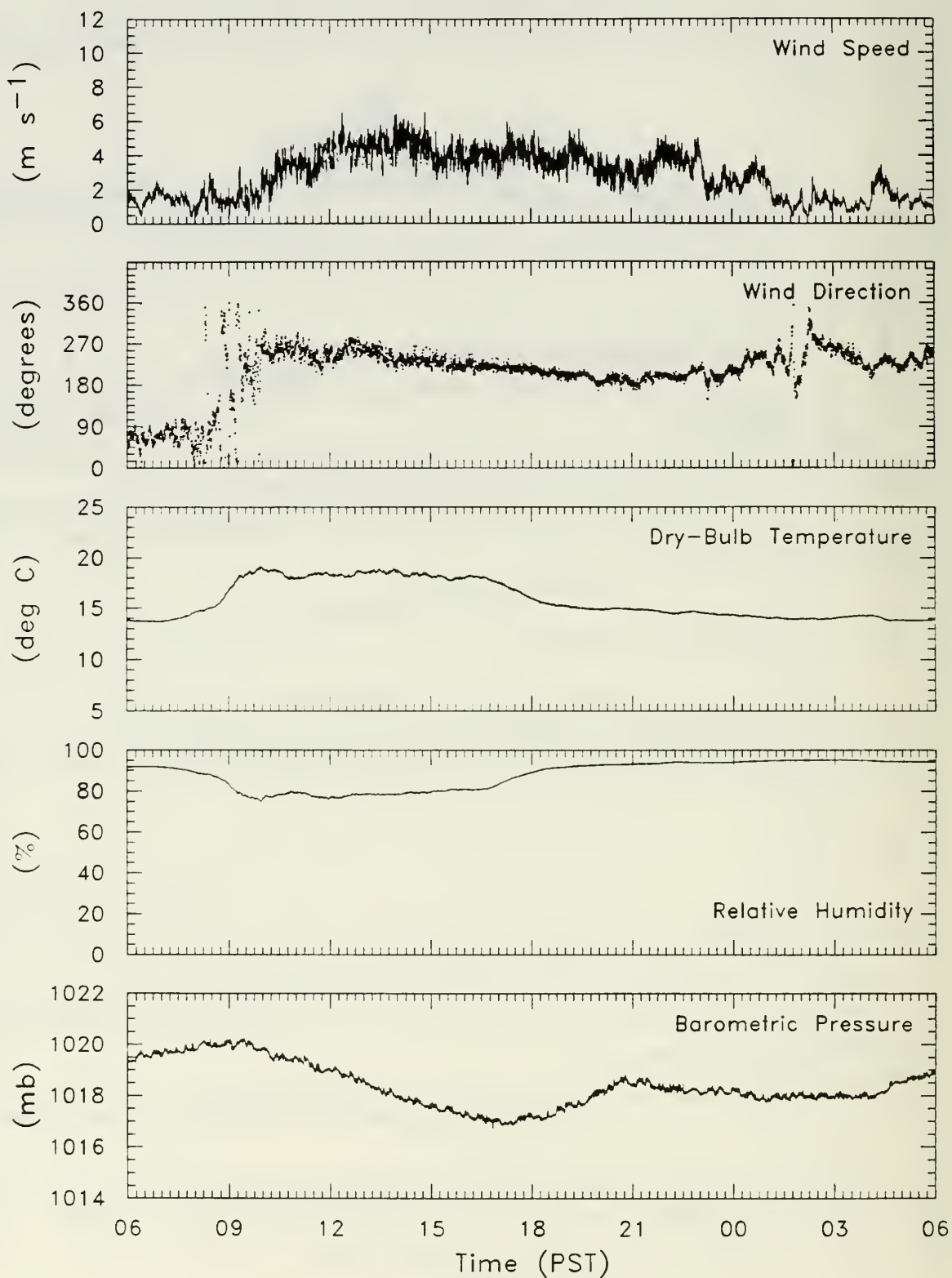
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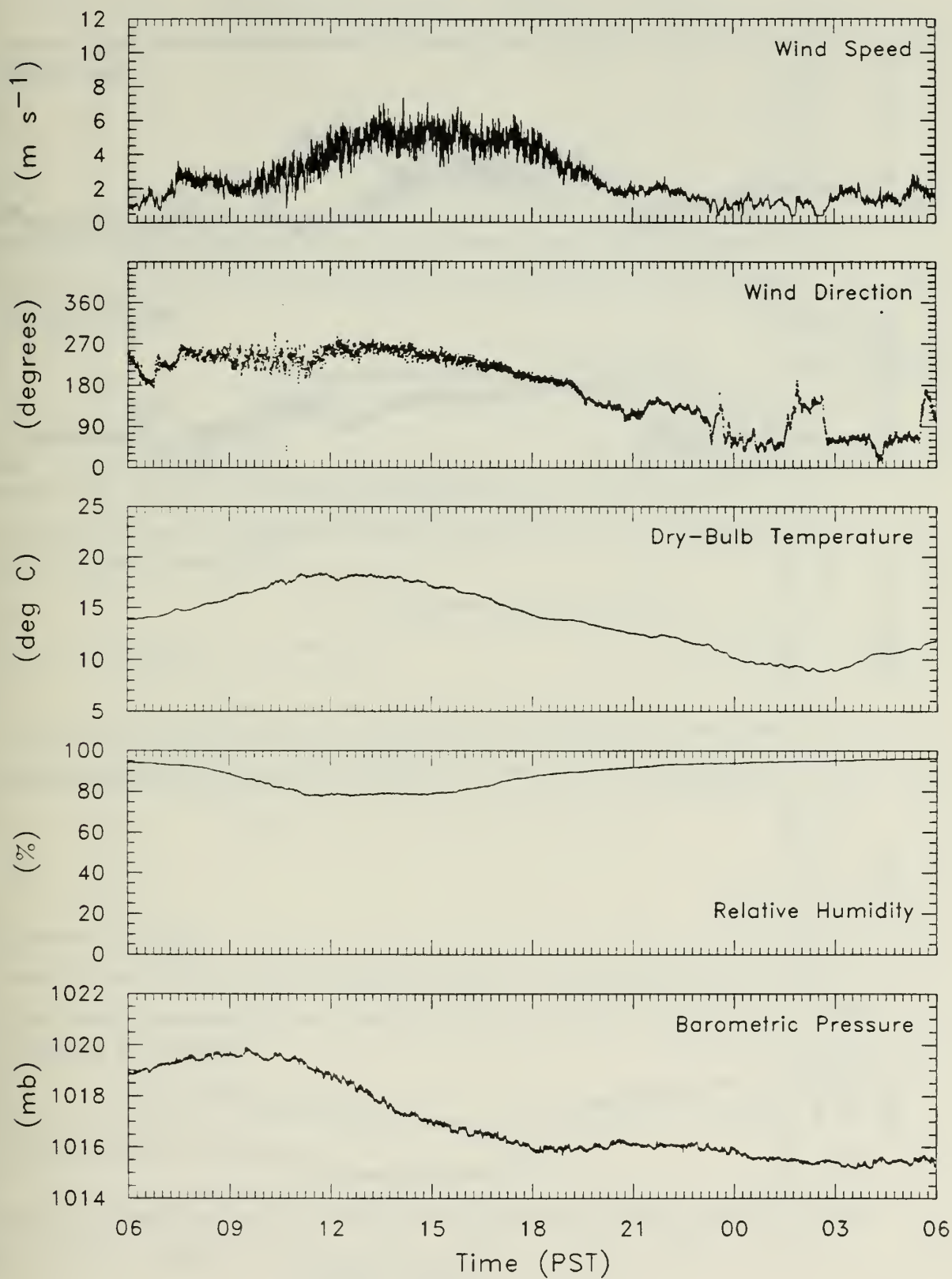
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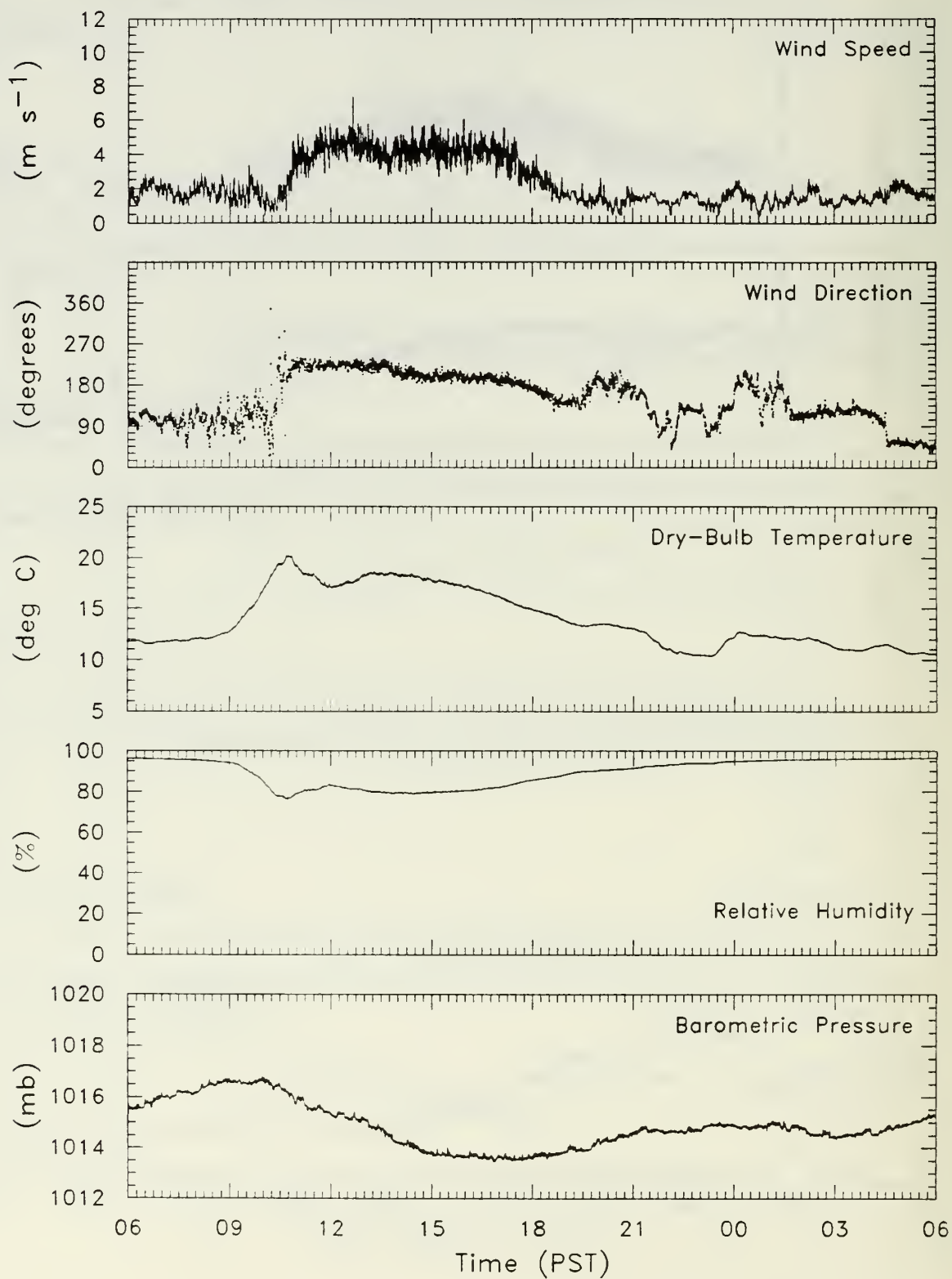
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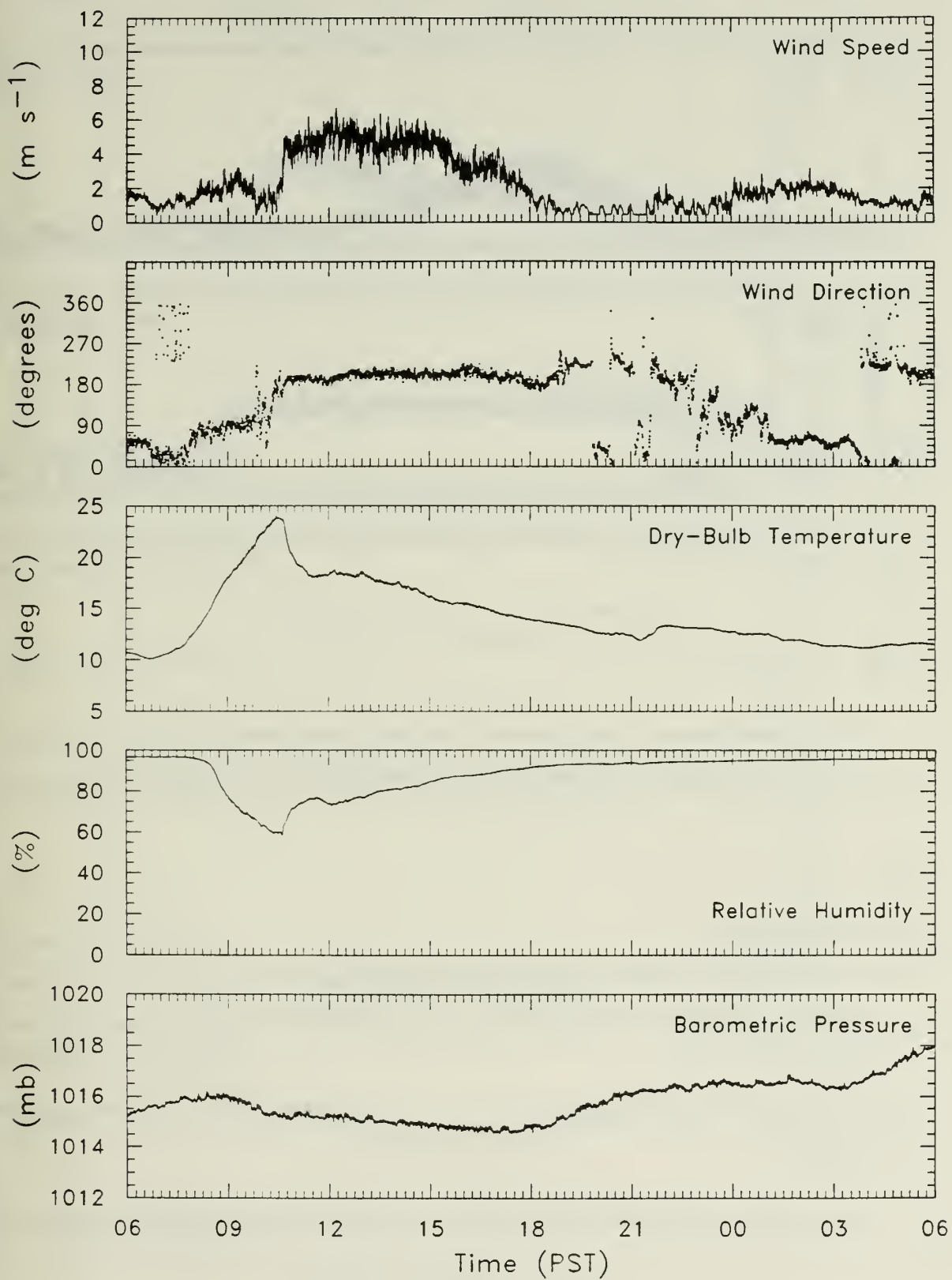
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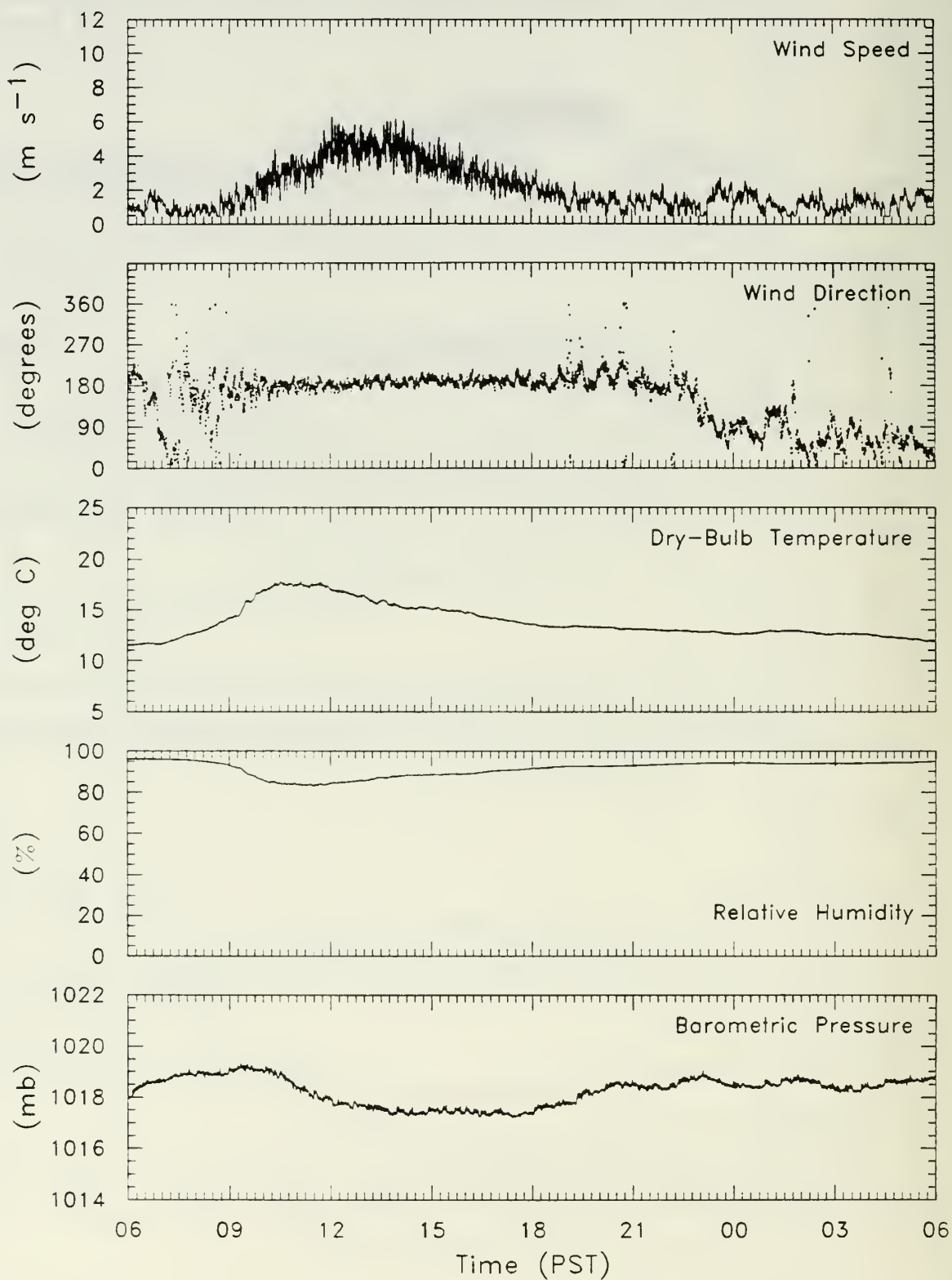
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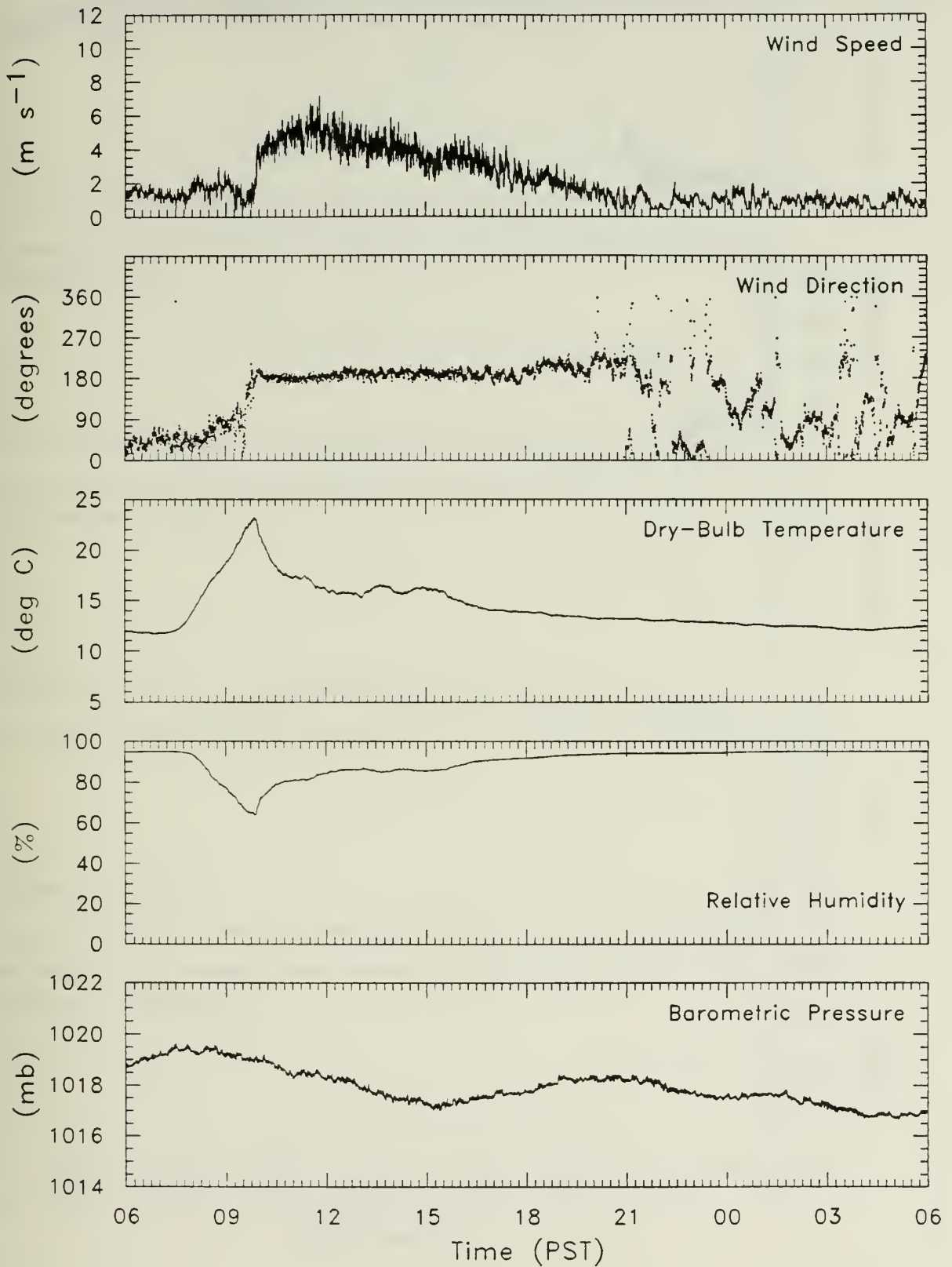
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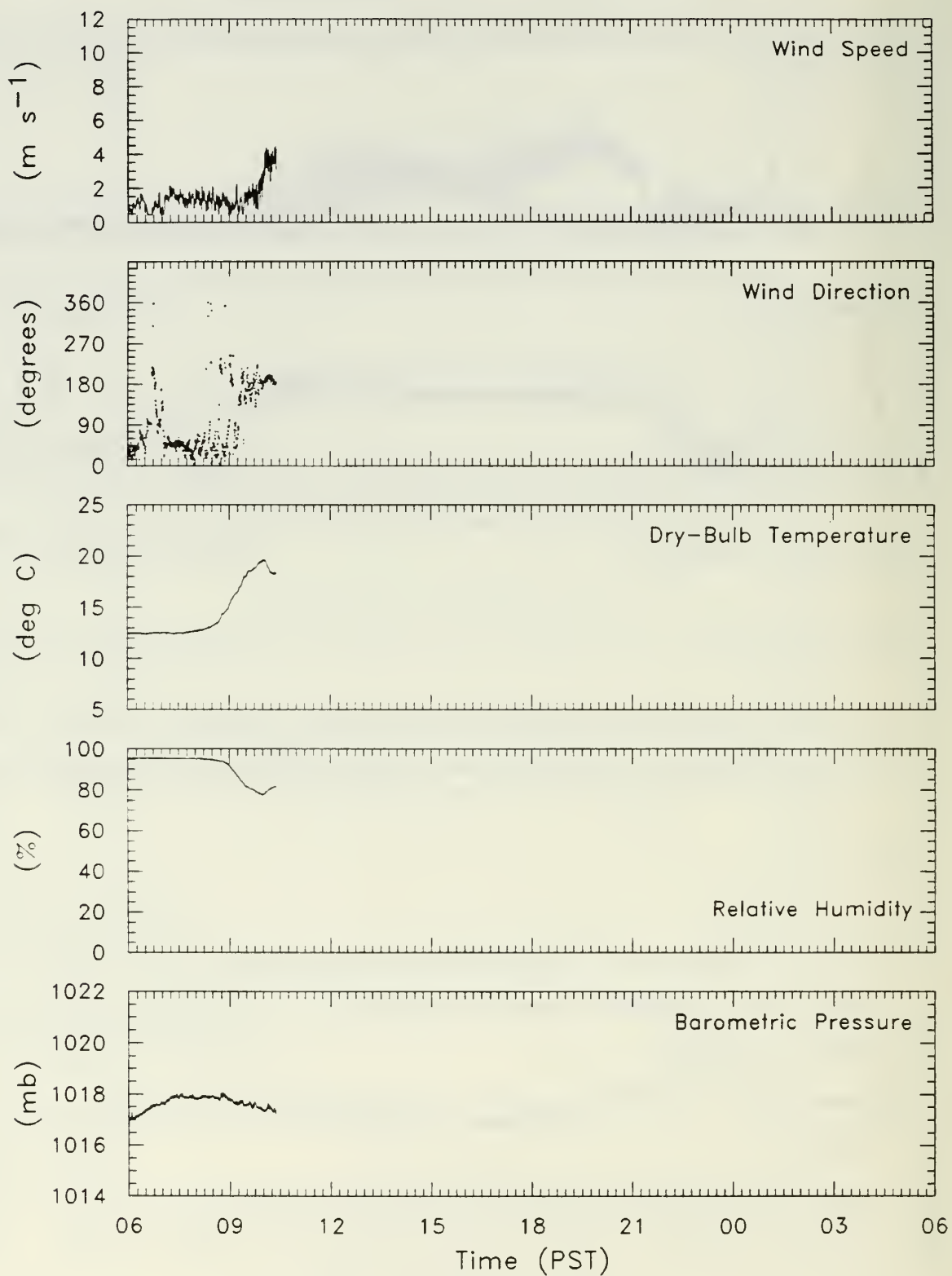
SODAR Triangle, Eastern Vertex (NEPRF) - 28 Sept 1987



SODAR Triangle, Eastern Vertex (NEPRF) - 29 Sept 1987



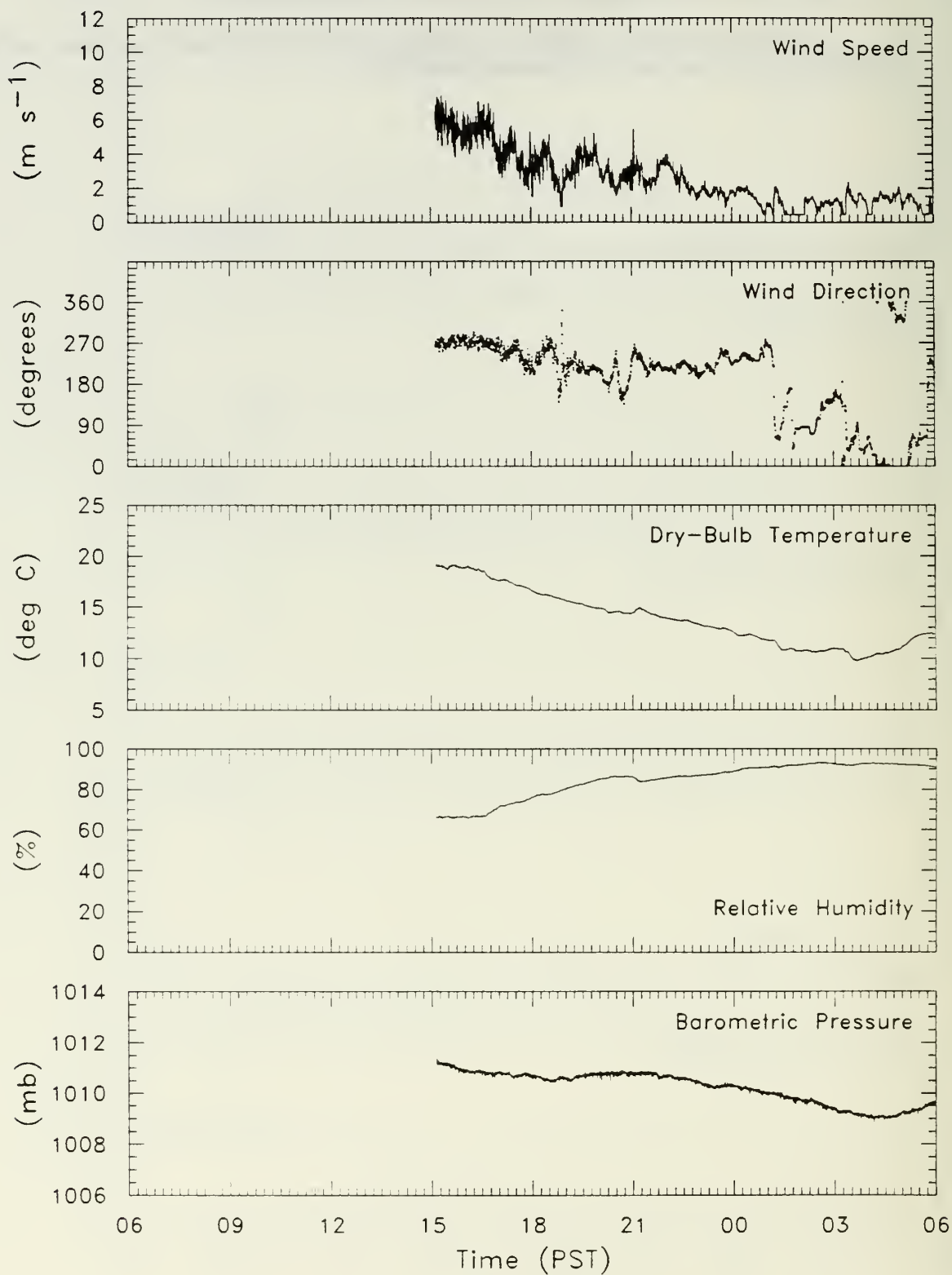
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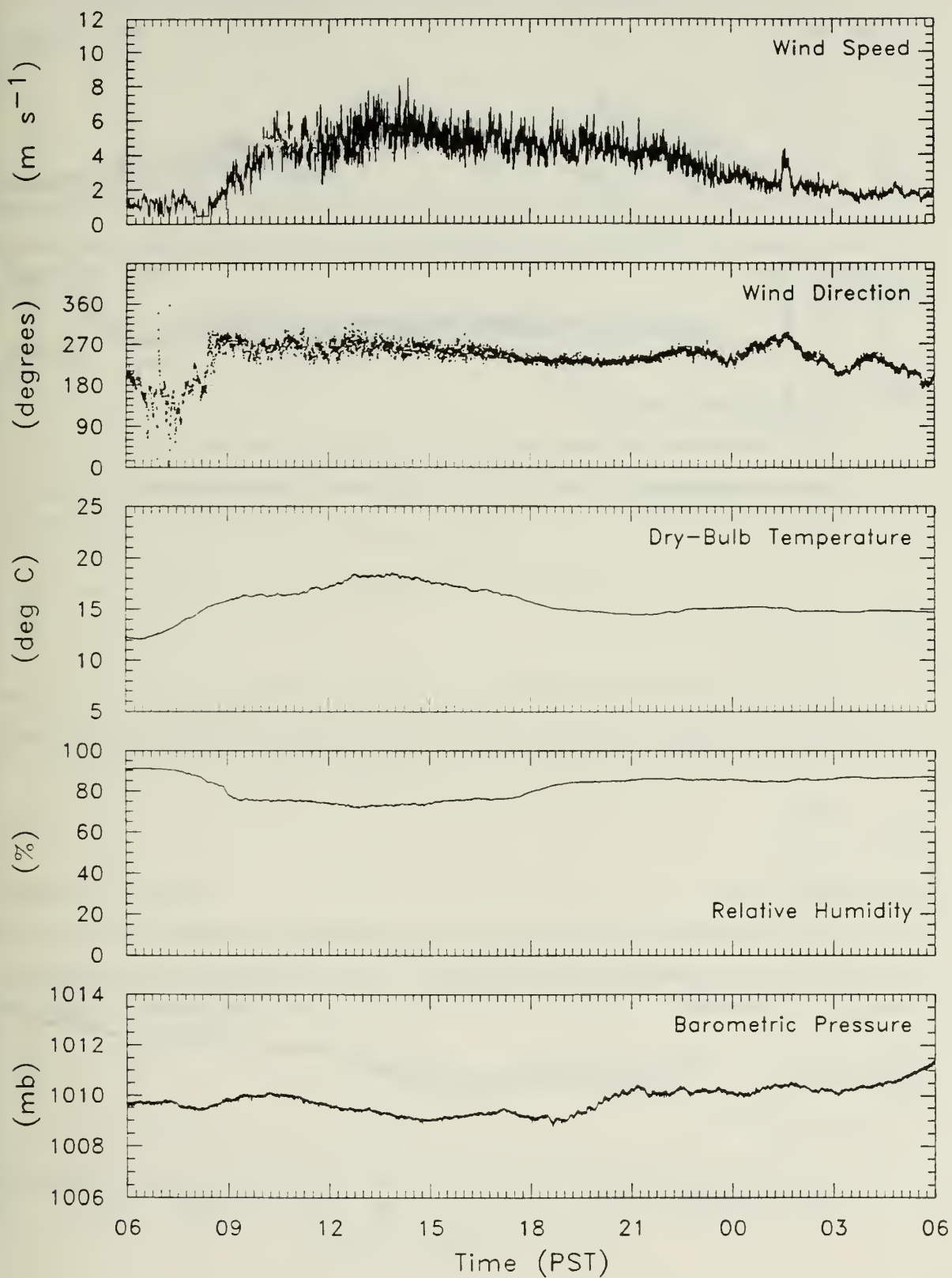
7. TIME SERIES, WESTERN VERTEX OF THE SODAR TRIANGLE--NEPRF

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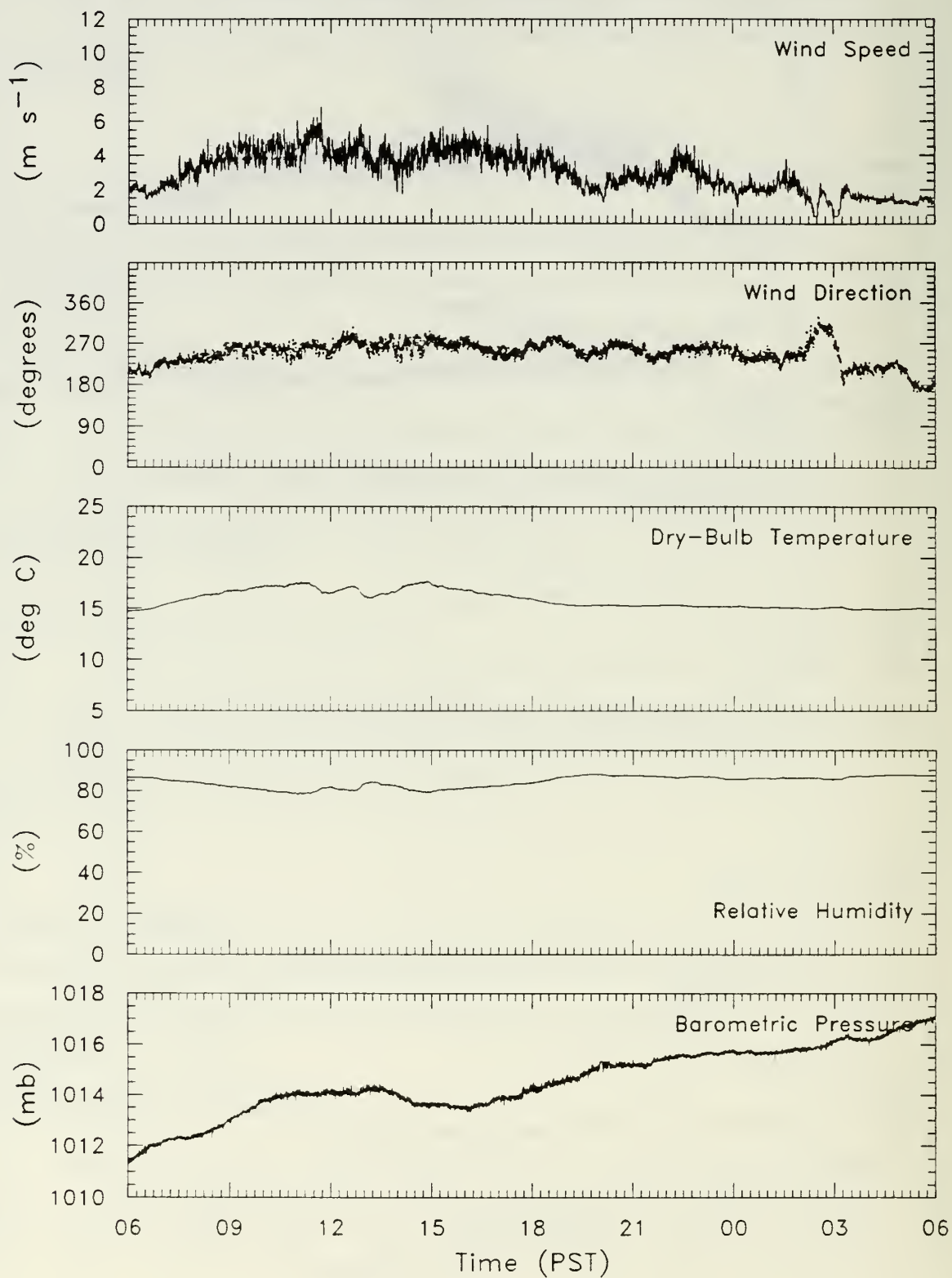
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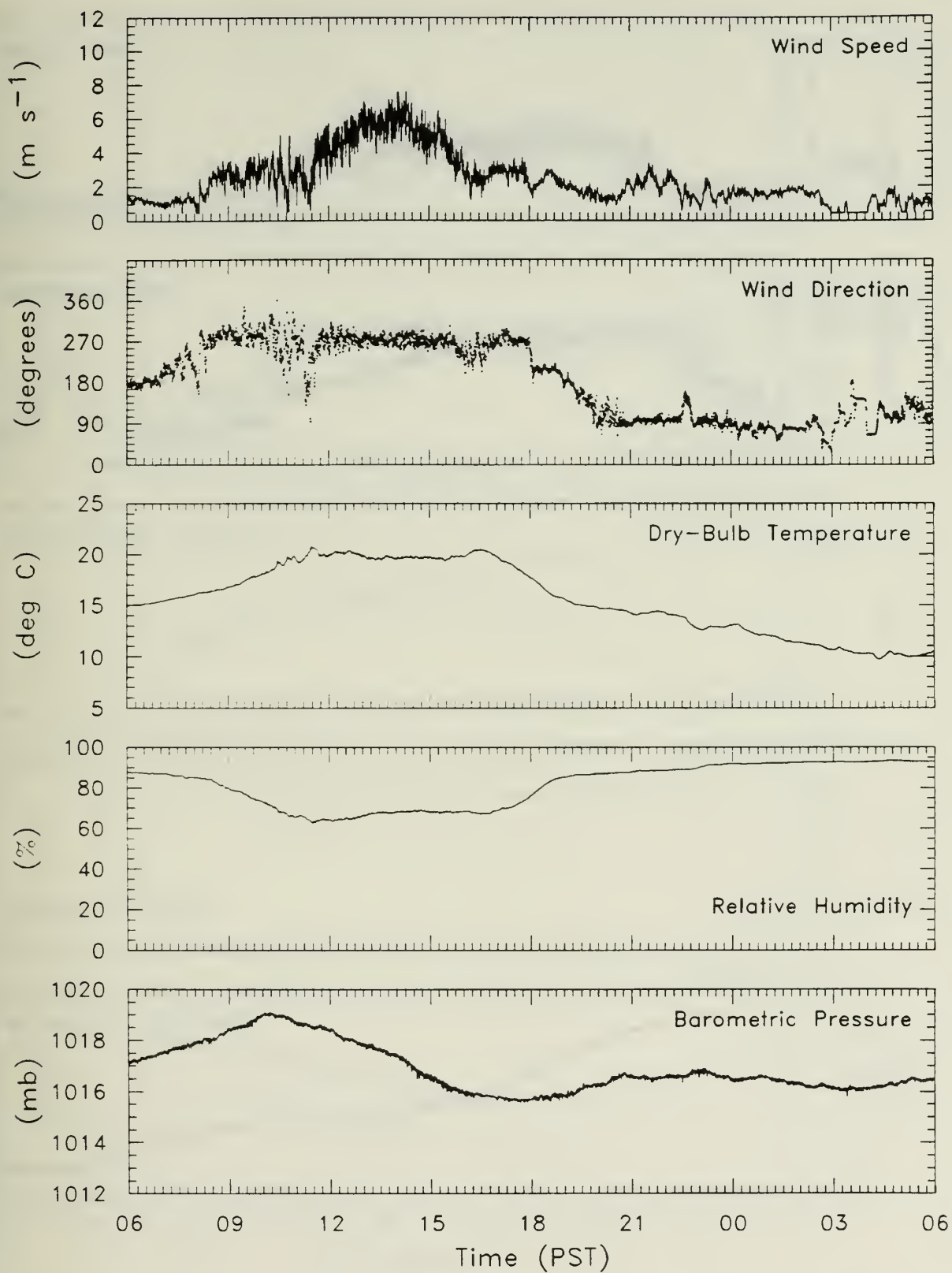
SODAR Triangle, Western Vertex (NEPRF) - 12 Sept 1987



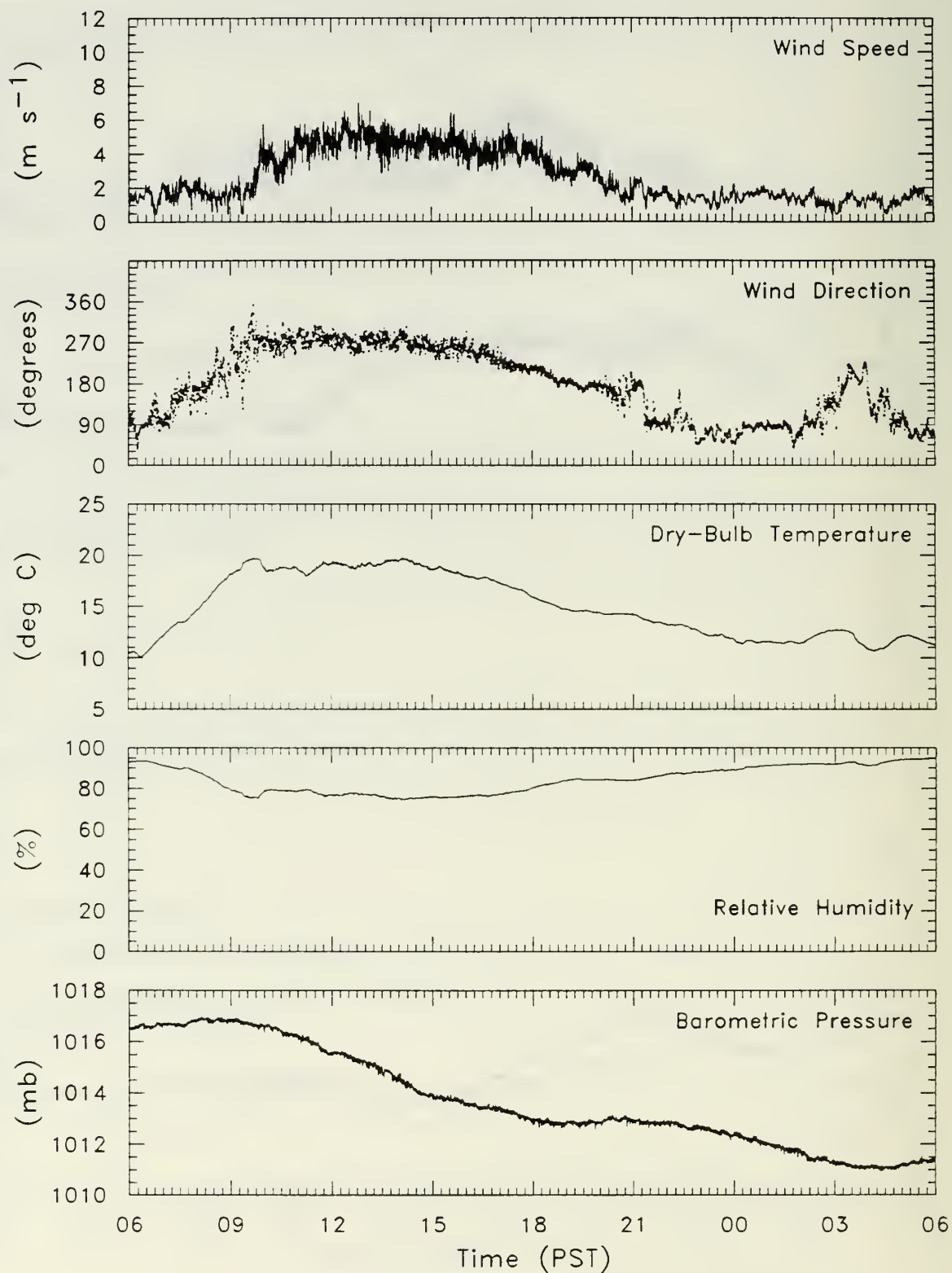
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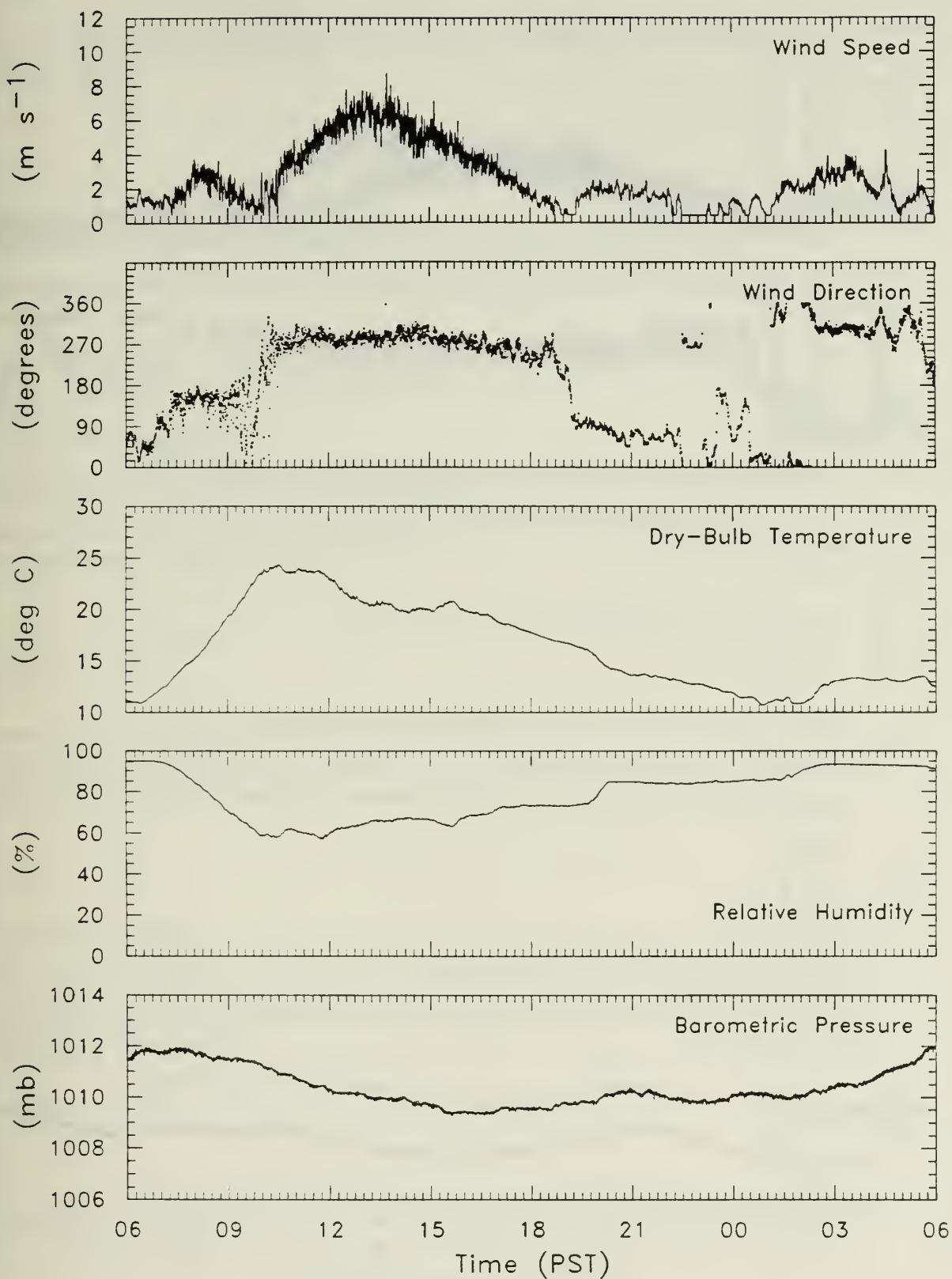
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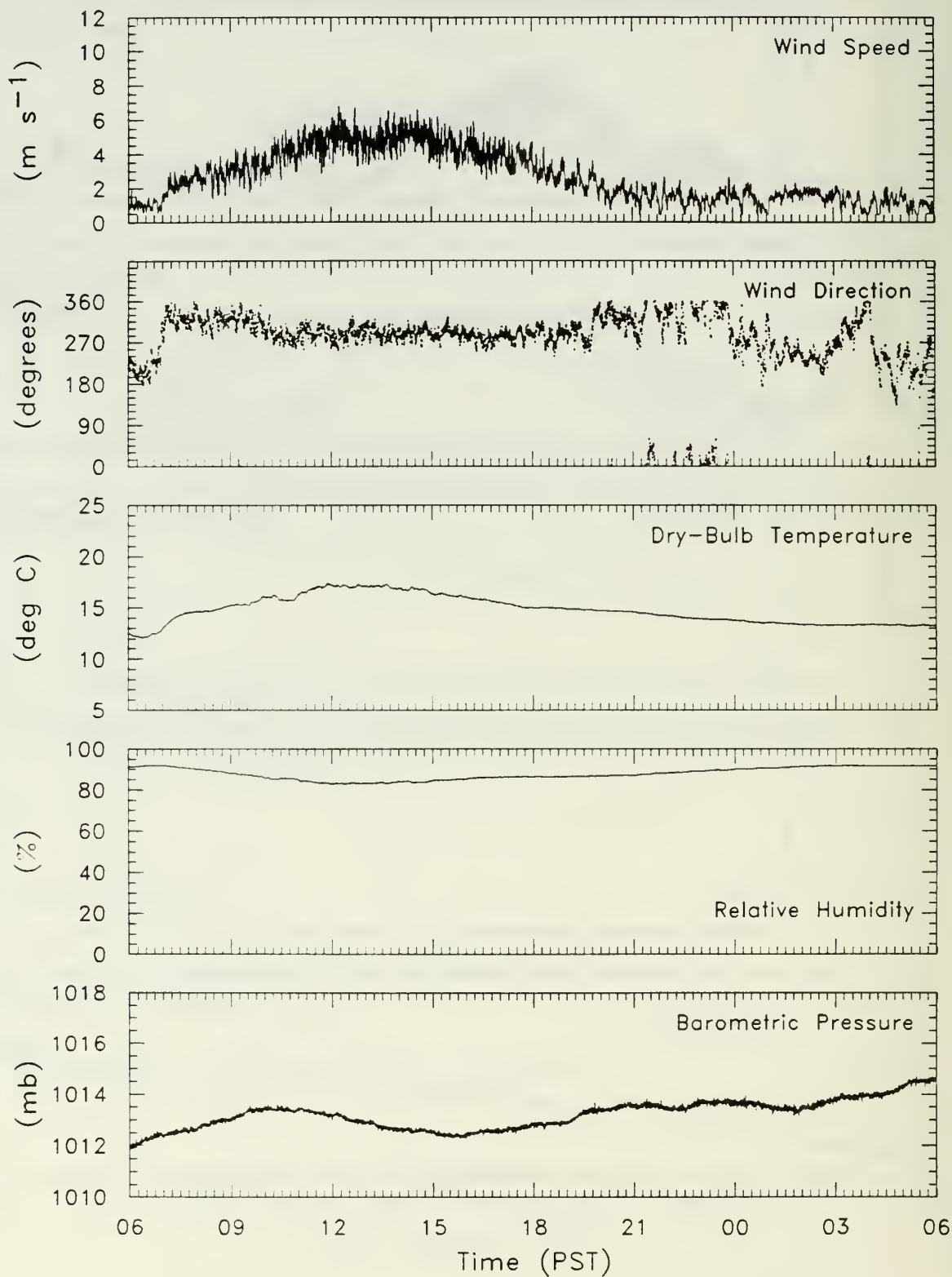
SODAR Triangle, Western Vertex (NEPRF) - 15 Sept 1987



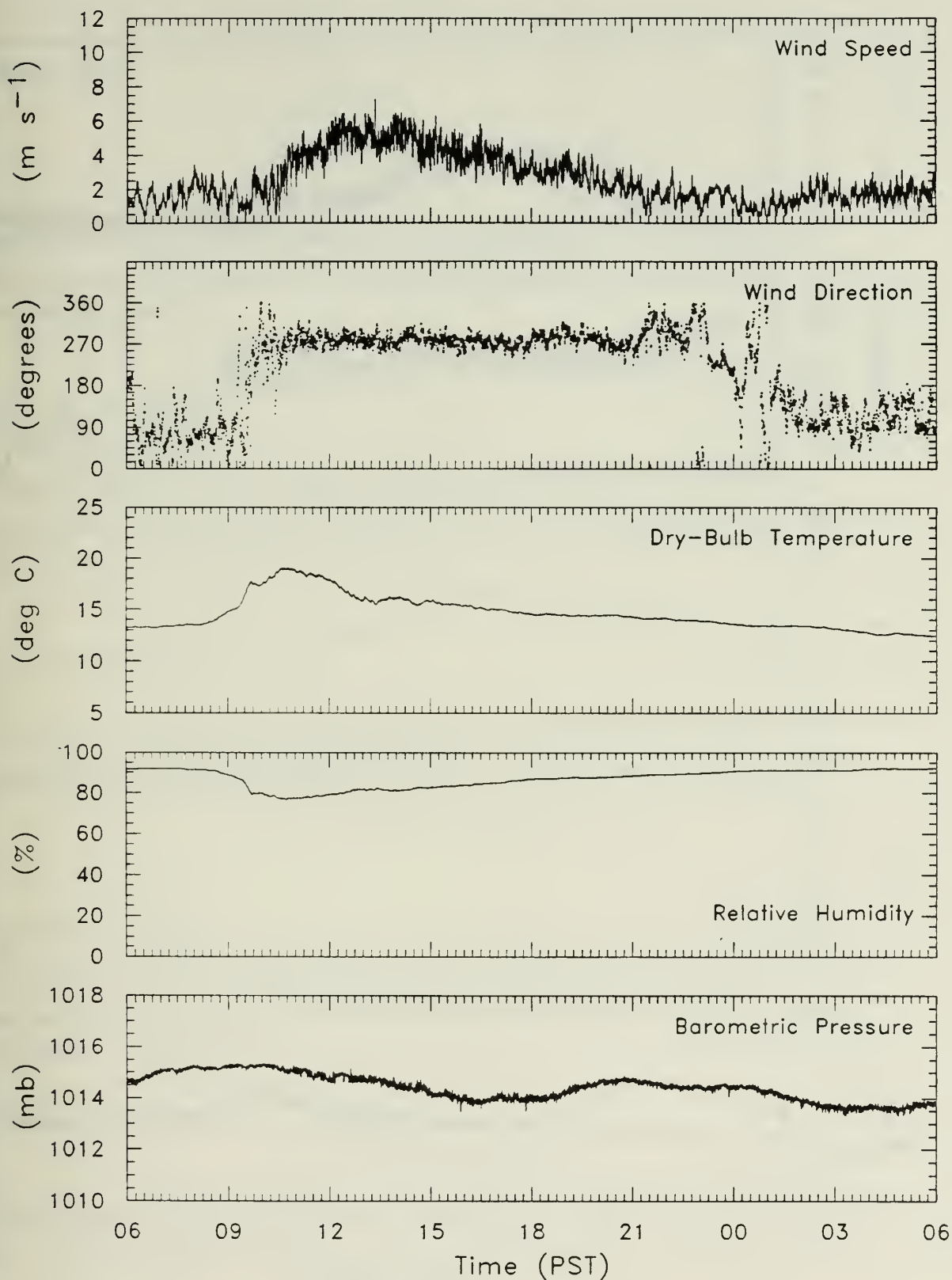
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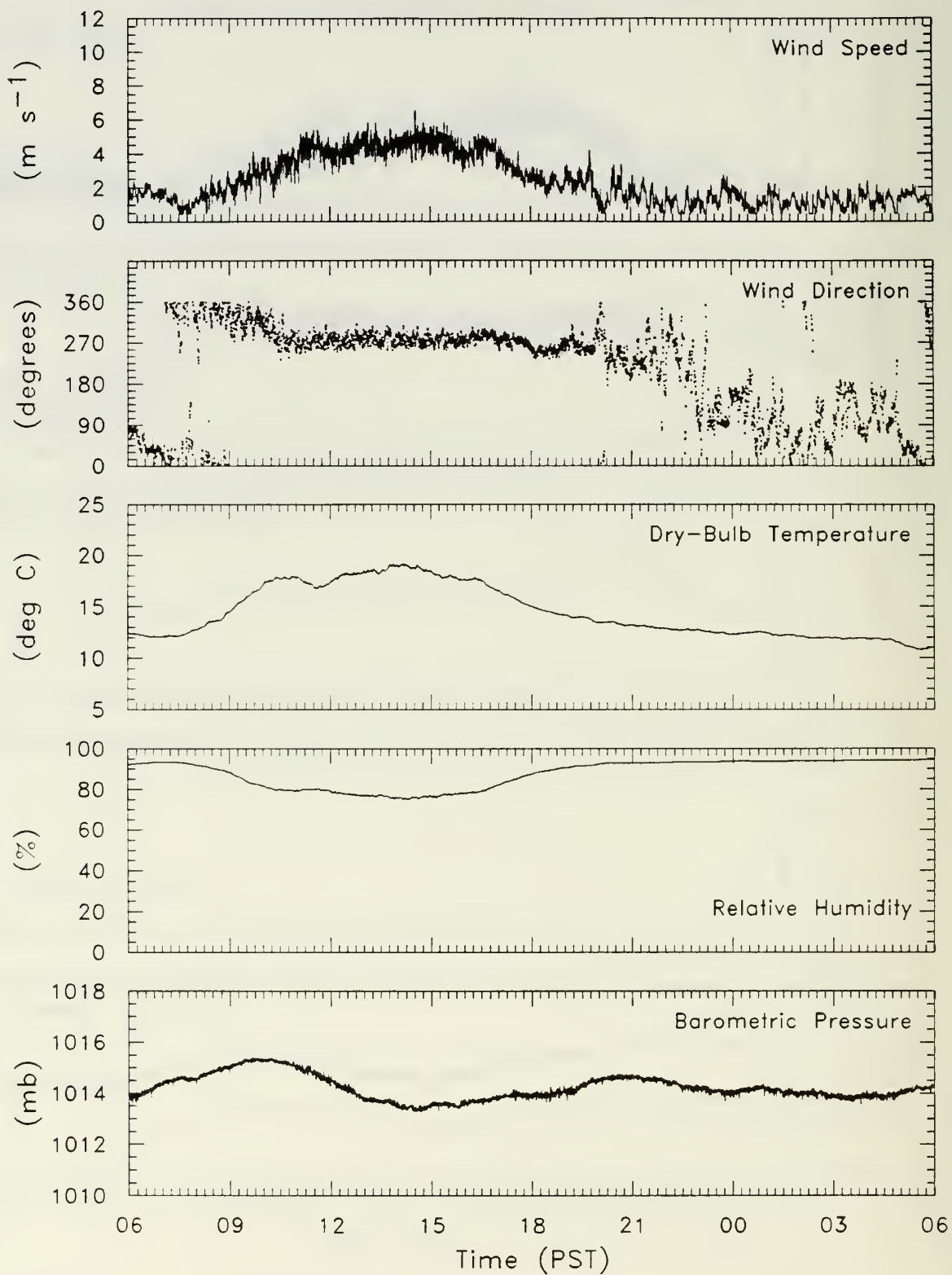
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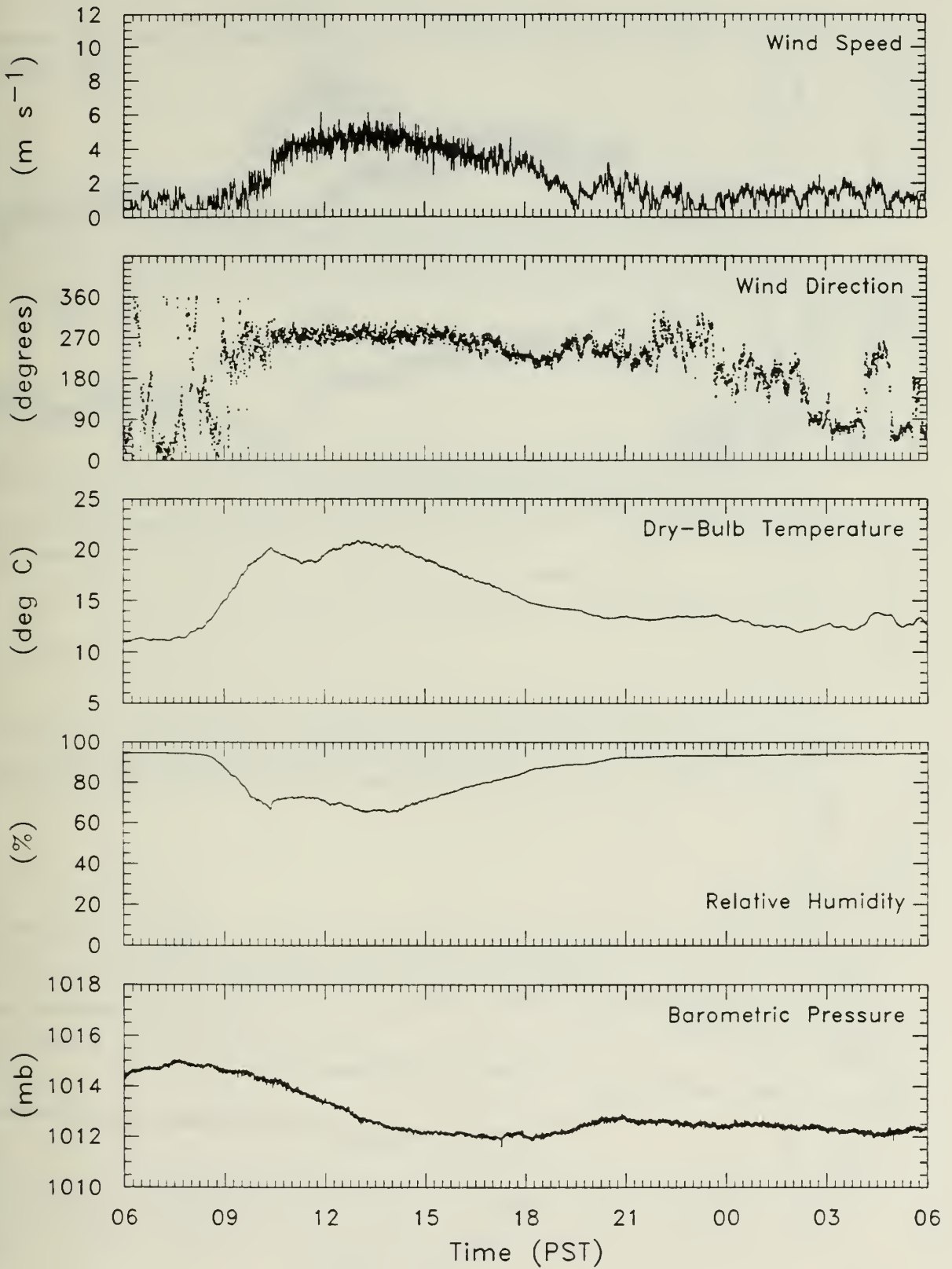
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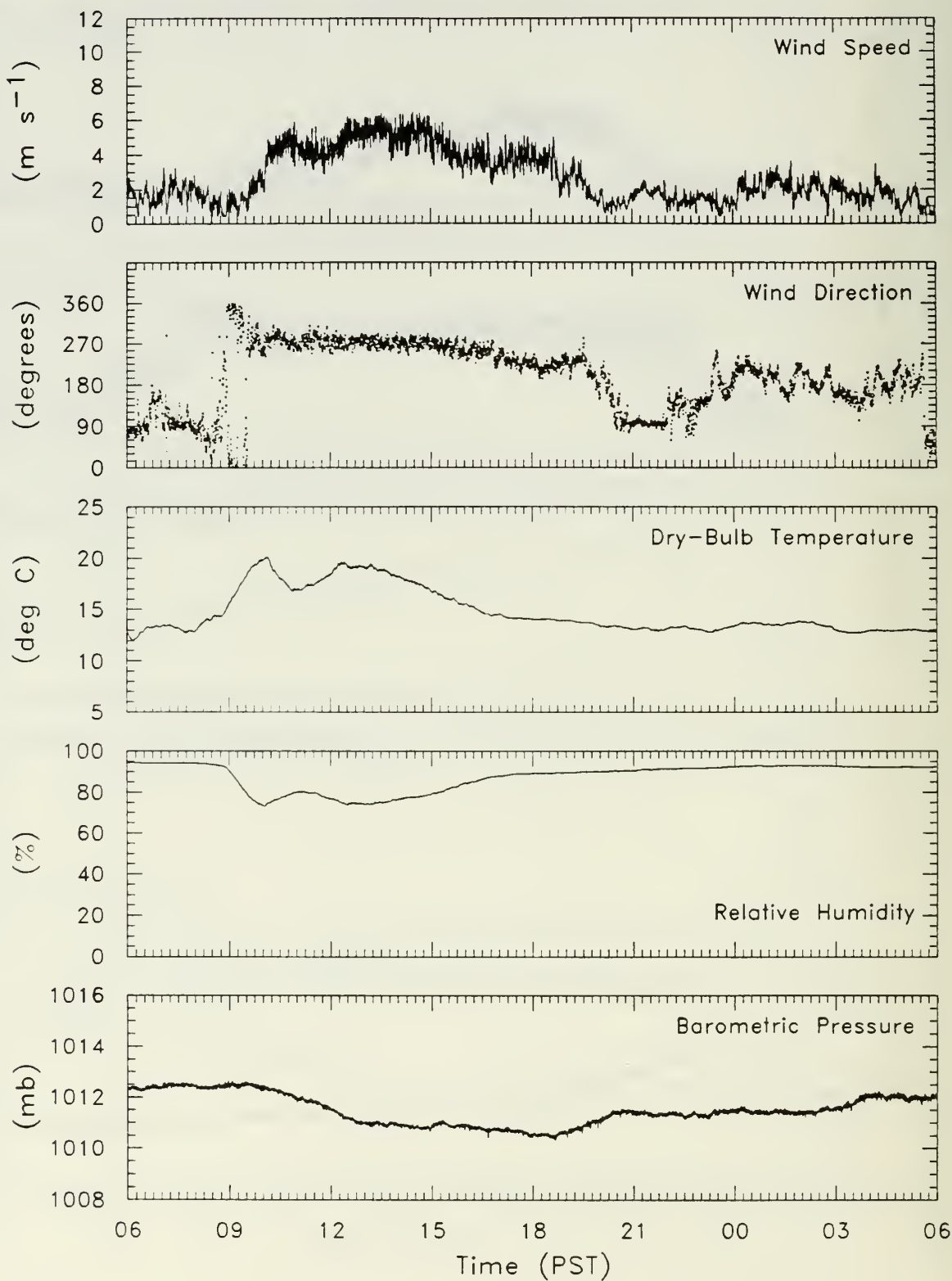
SODAR Triangle, Western Vertex (NEPRF) - 19 Sept 1987



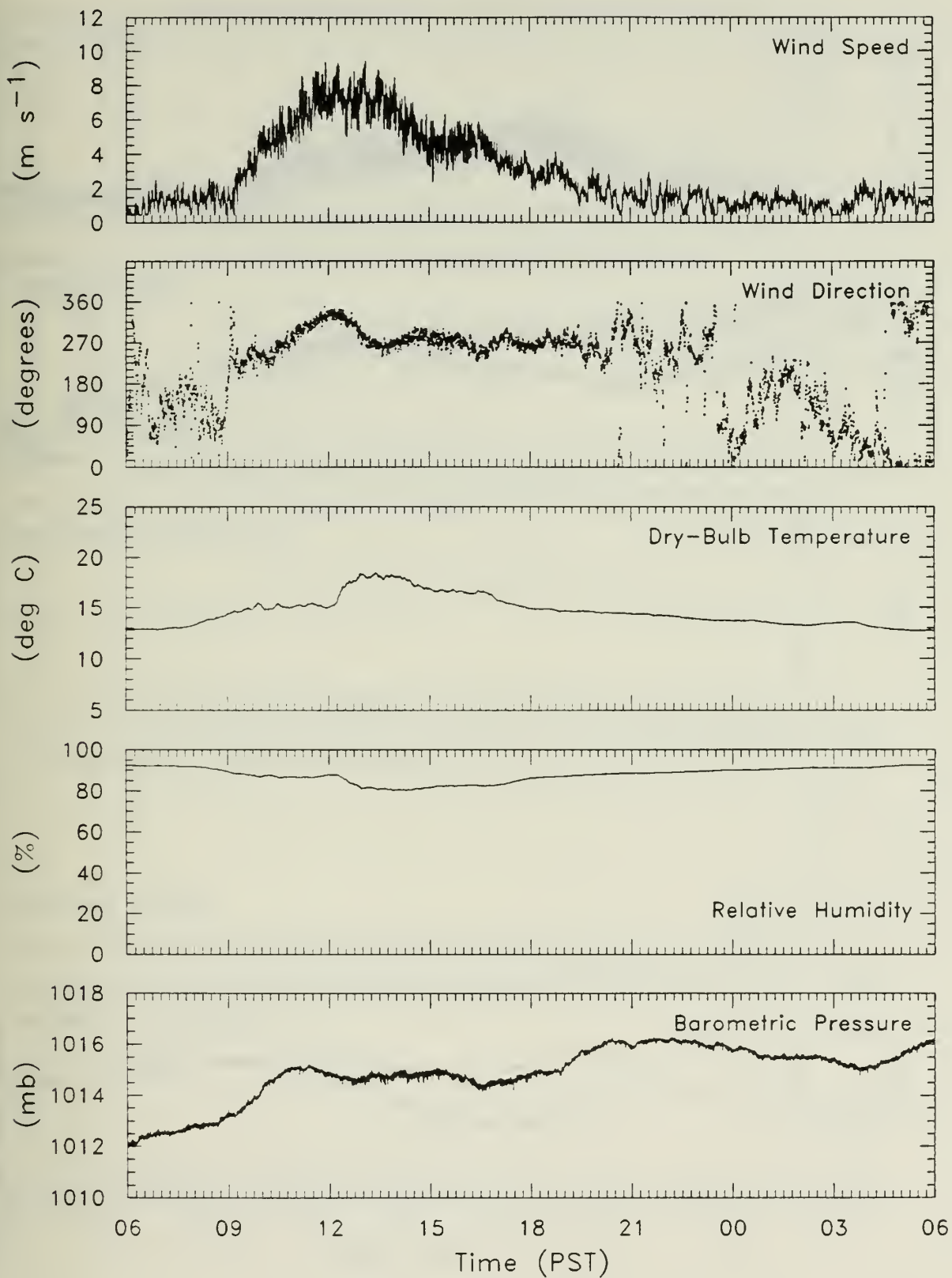
SODAR Triangle, Western Vertex (NEPRF) - 20 Sept 1987



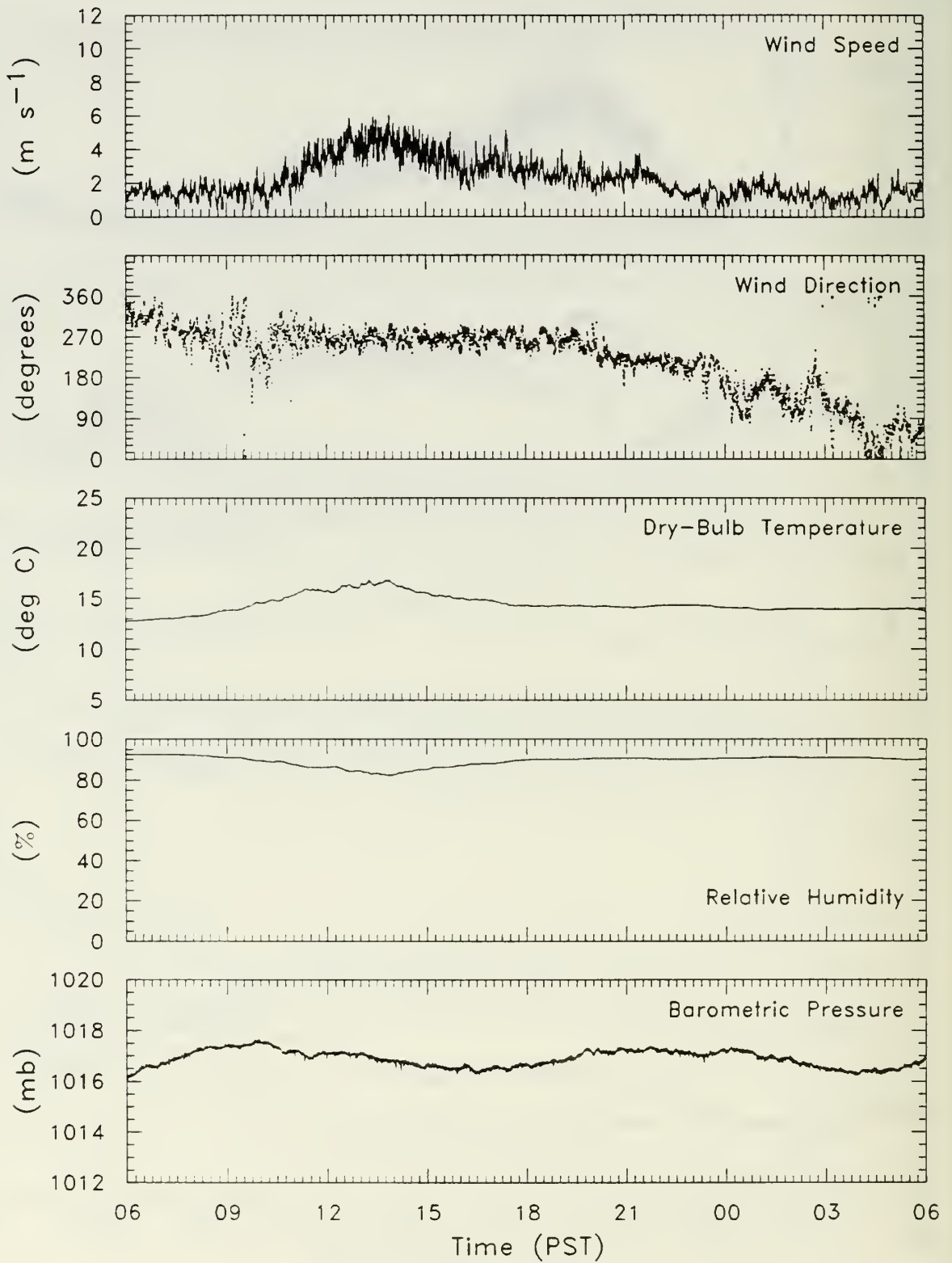
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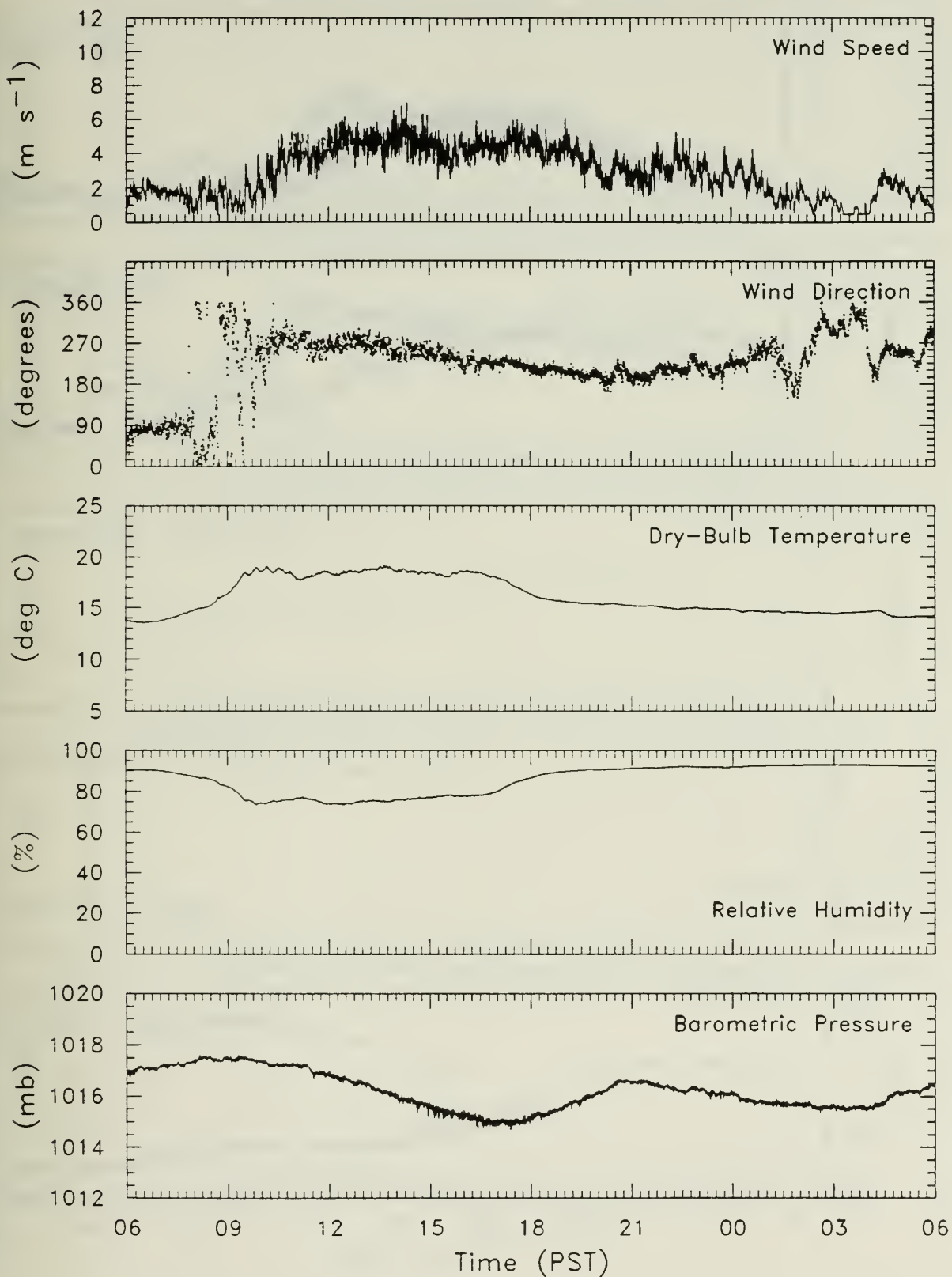
SODAR Triangle, Western Vertex (NEPRF) - 22 Sept 1987



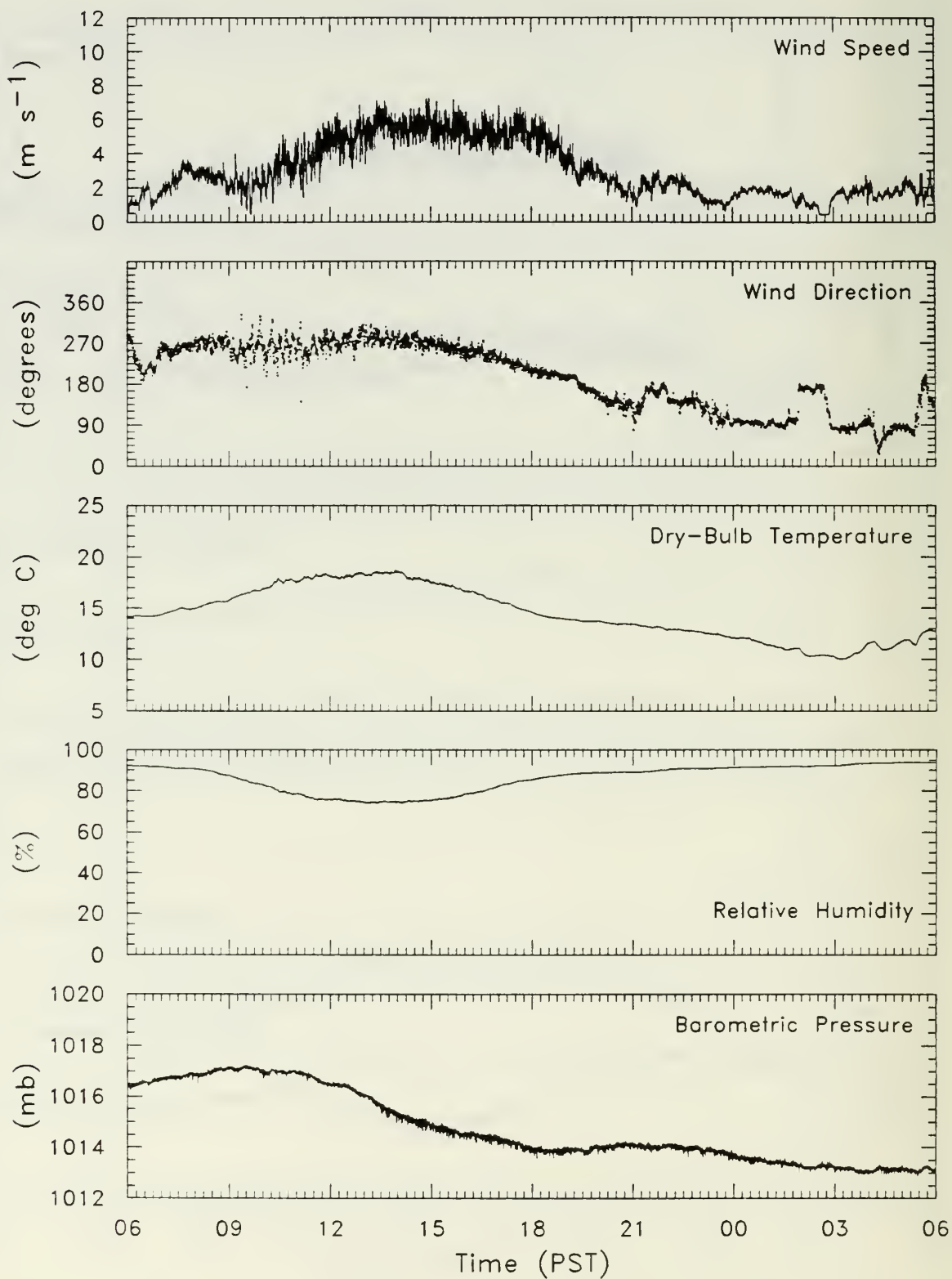
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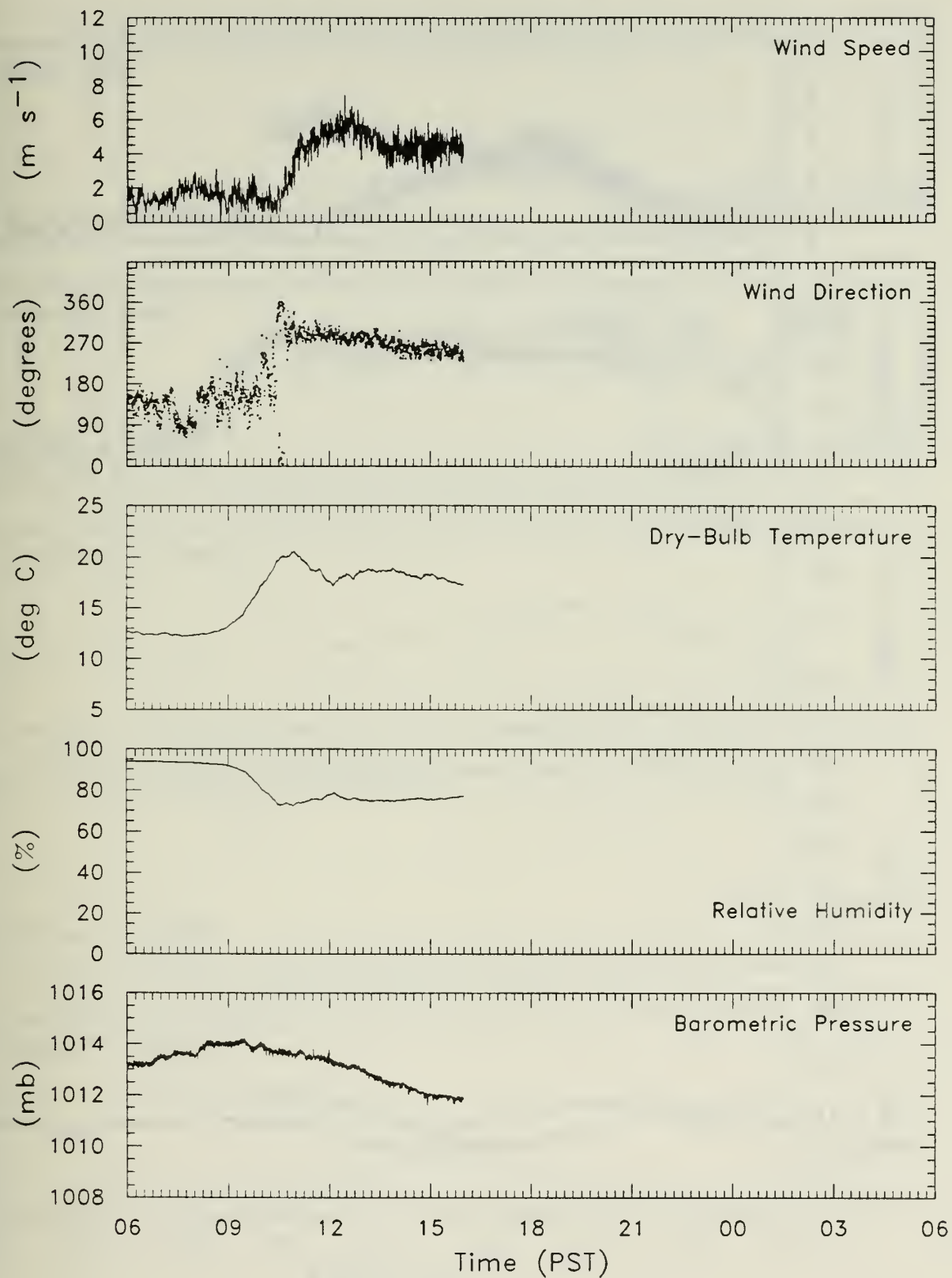
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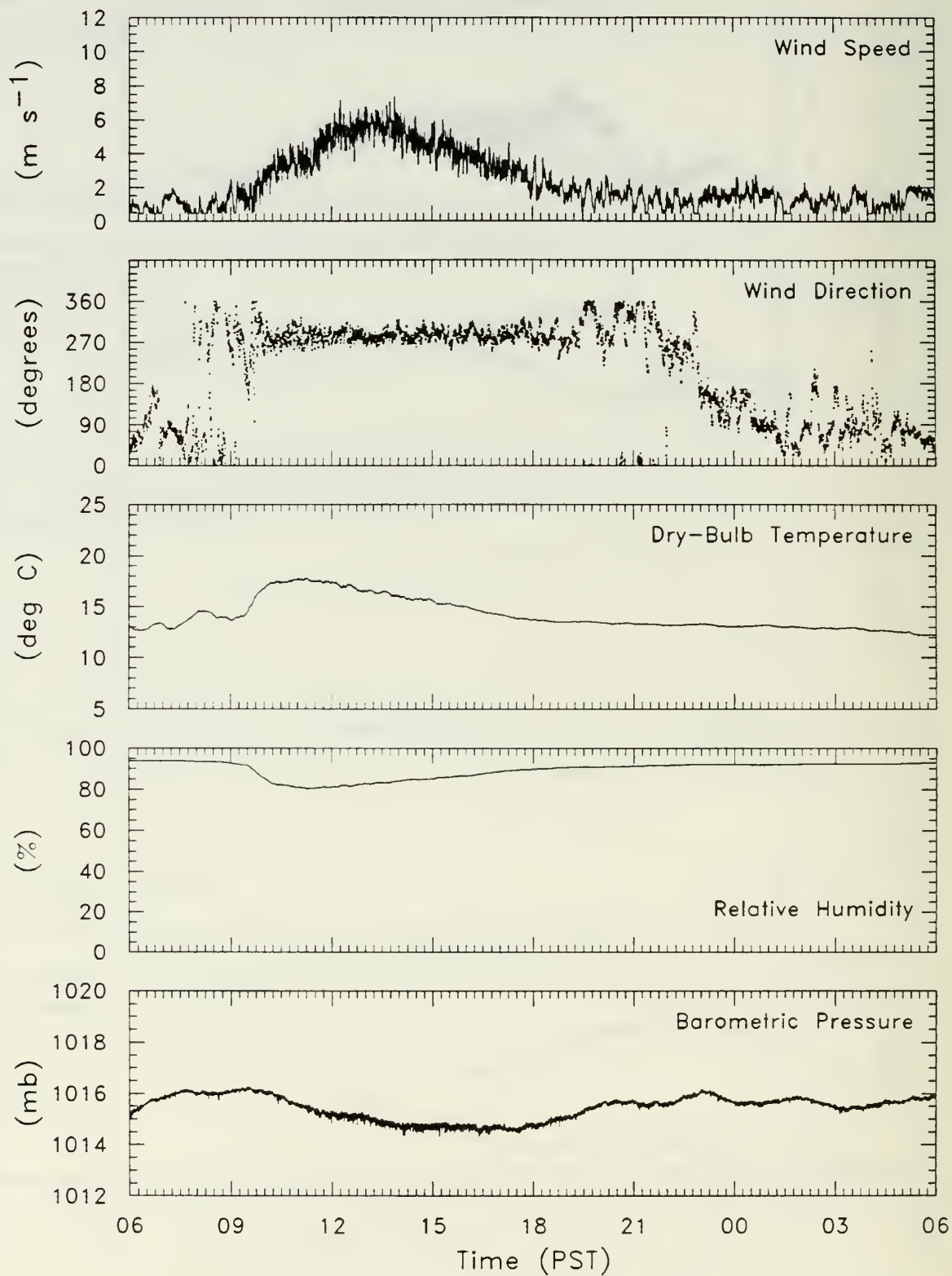
SODAR Triangle, Western Vertex (NEPRF) - 25 Sept 1987



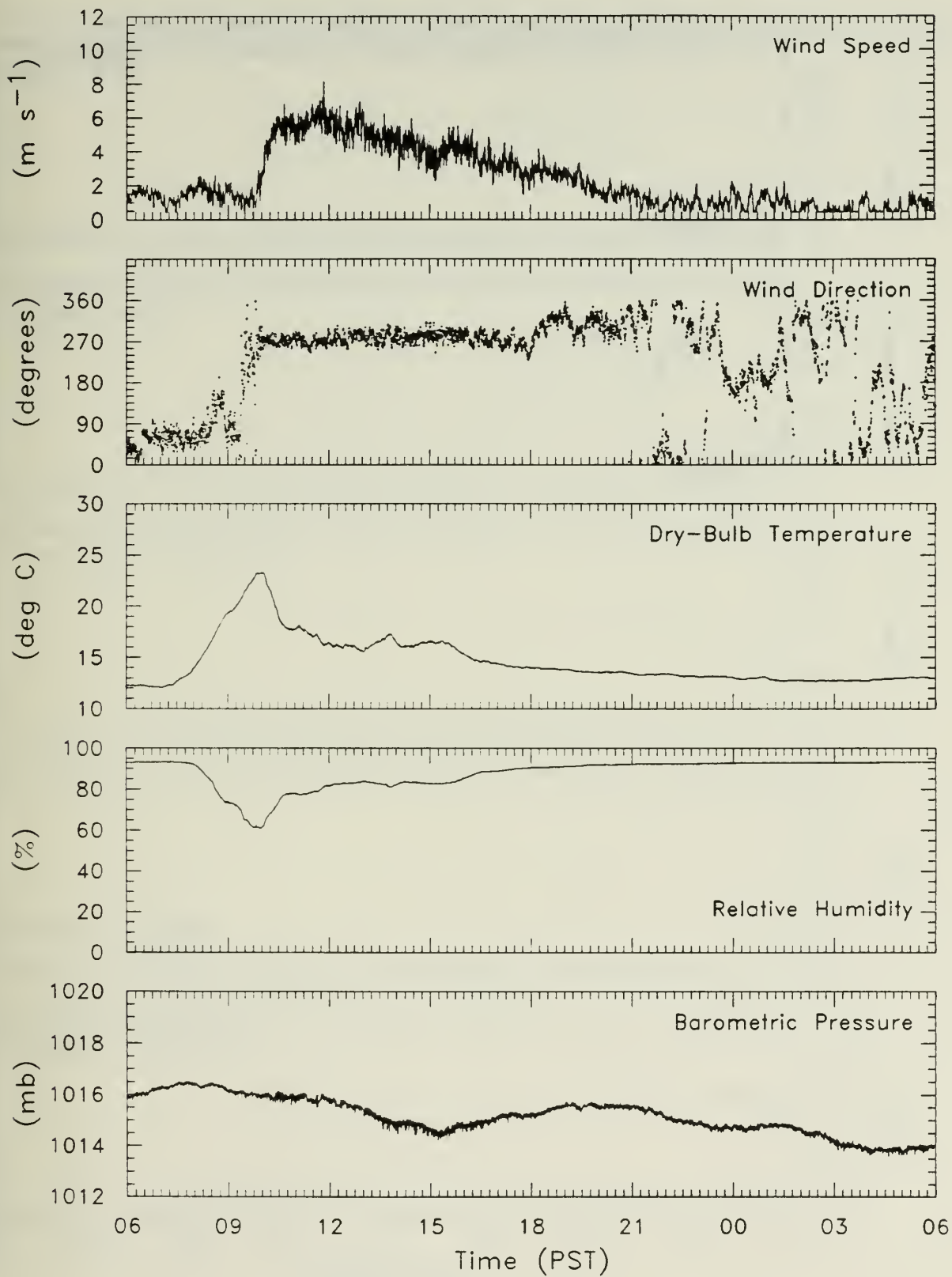
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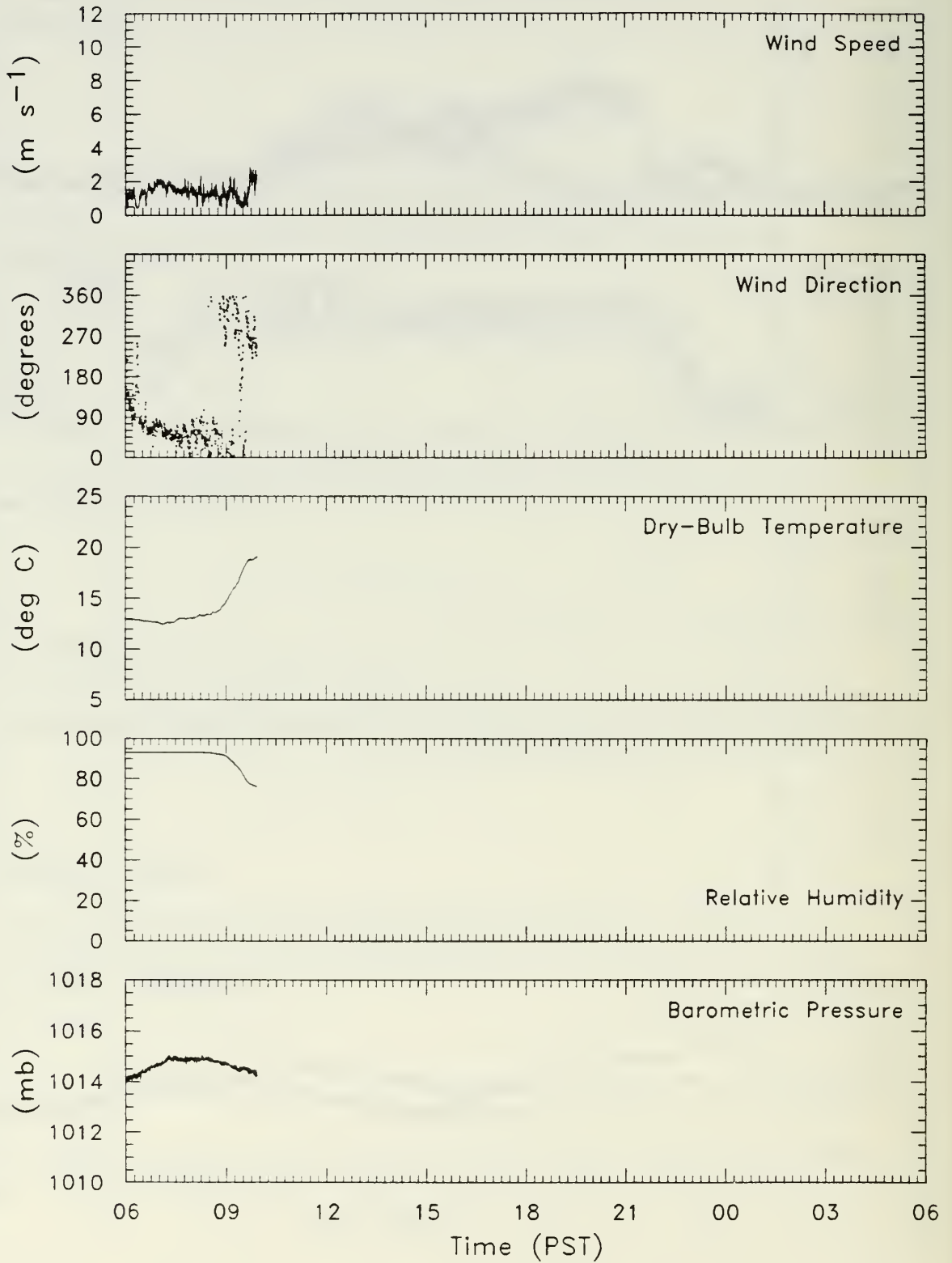
SODAR Triangle, Western Vertex (NEPRF) - 28 Sept 1987



SODAR Triangle, Western Vertex (NEPRF) - 29 Sept 1987



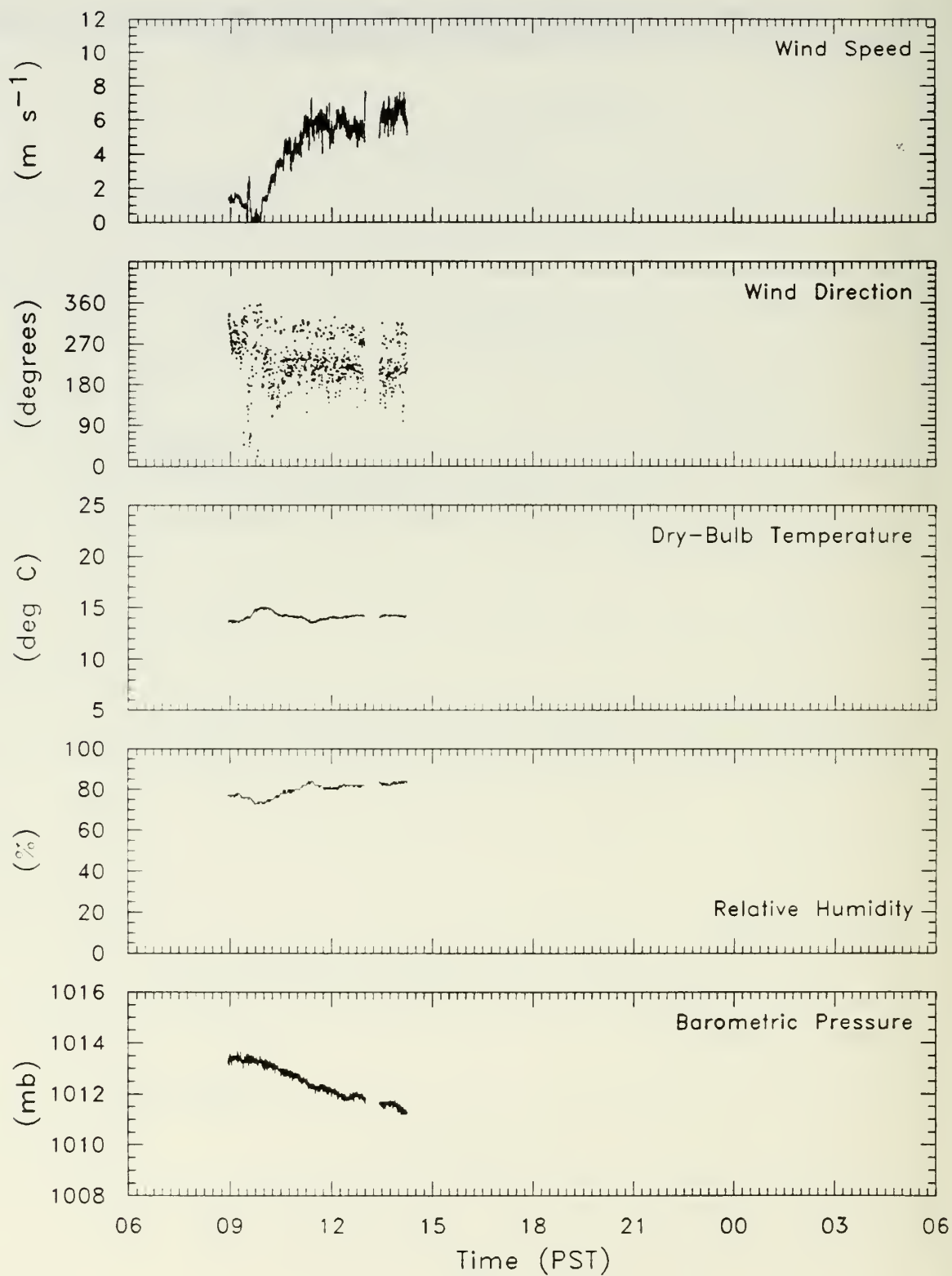
SODAR Triangle, Western Vertex (NEPRF) - 30 Sept 1987



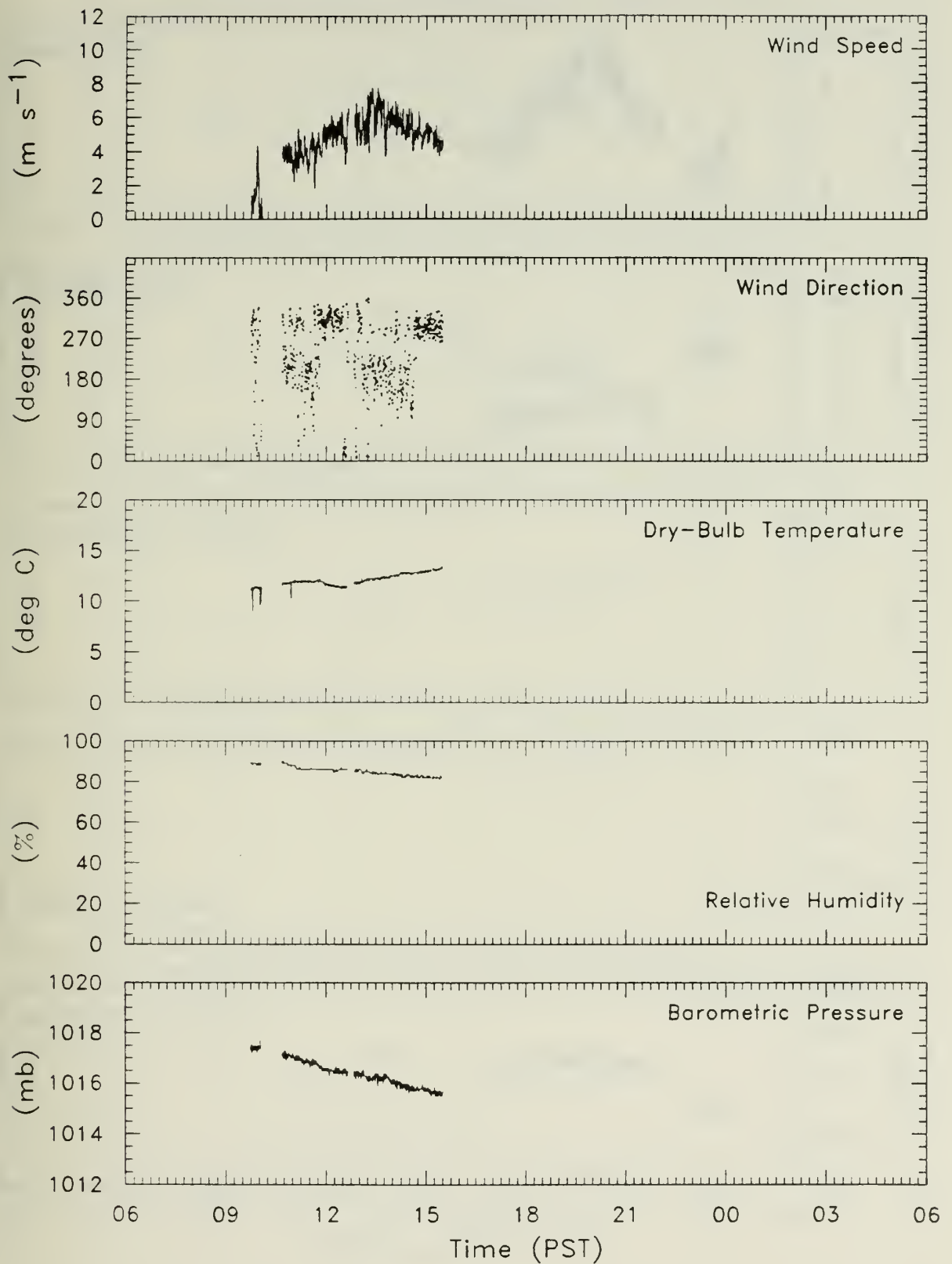
8. TIME SERIES, R/V SILVER PRINCE--NPS

This section presents graphs of surface meteorological data collected by the Naval Postgraduate School aboard the R/V Silver Prince on Monterey Bay (Fig. 1).

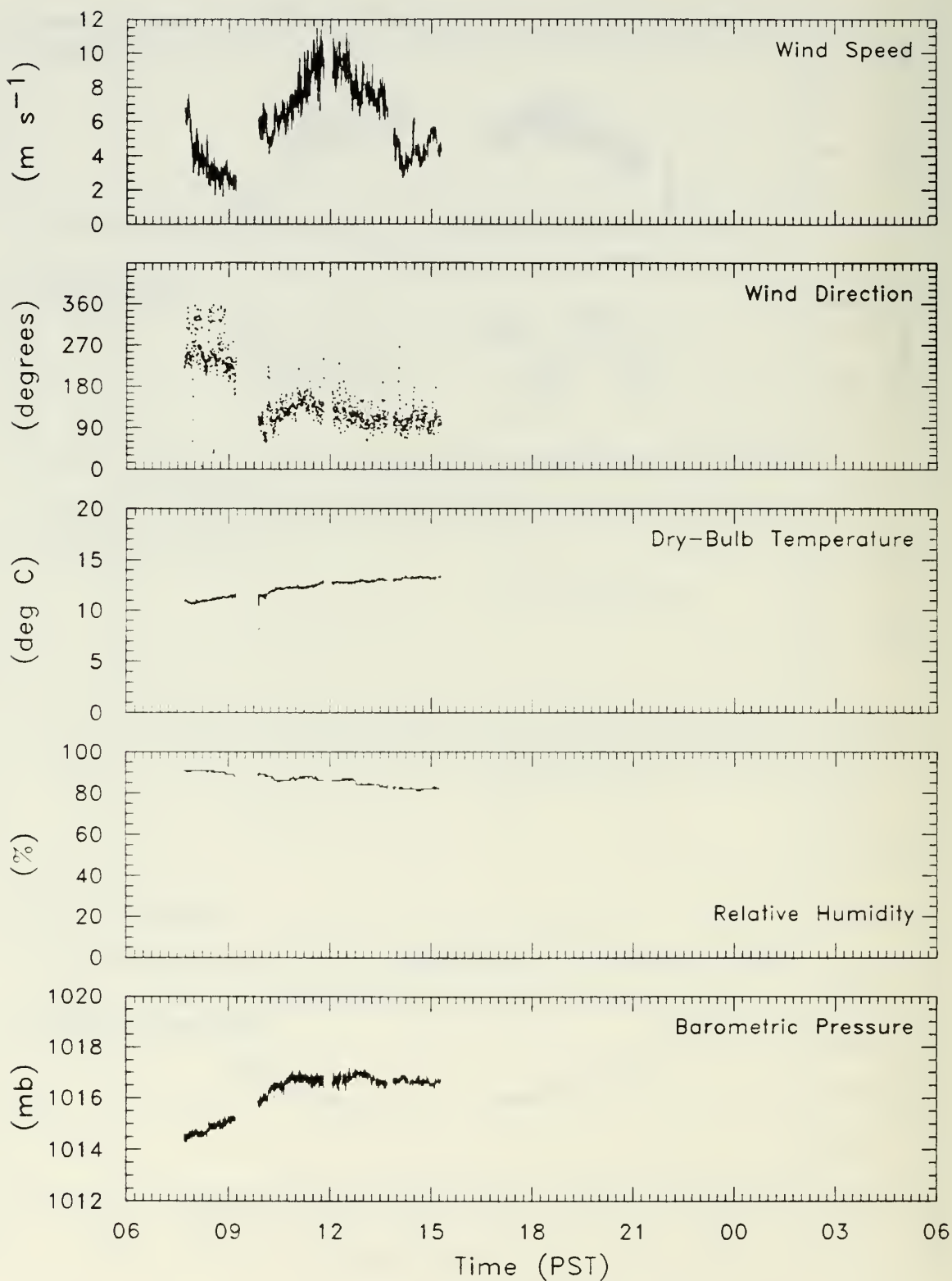
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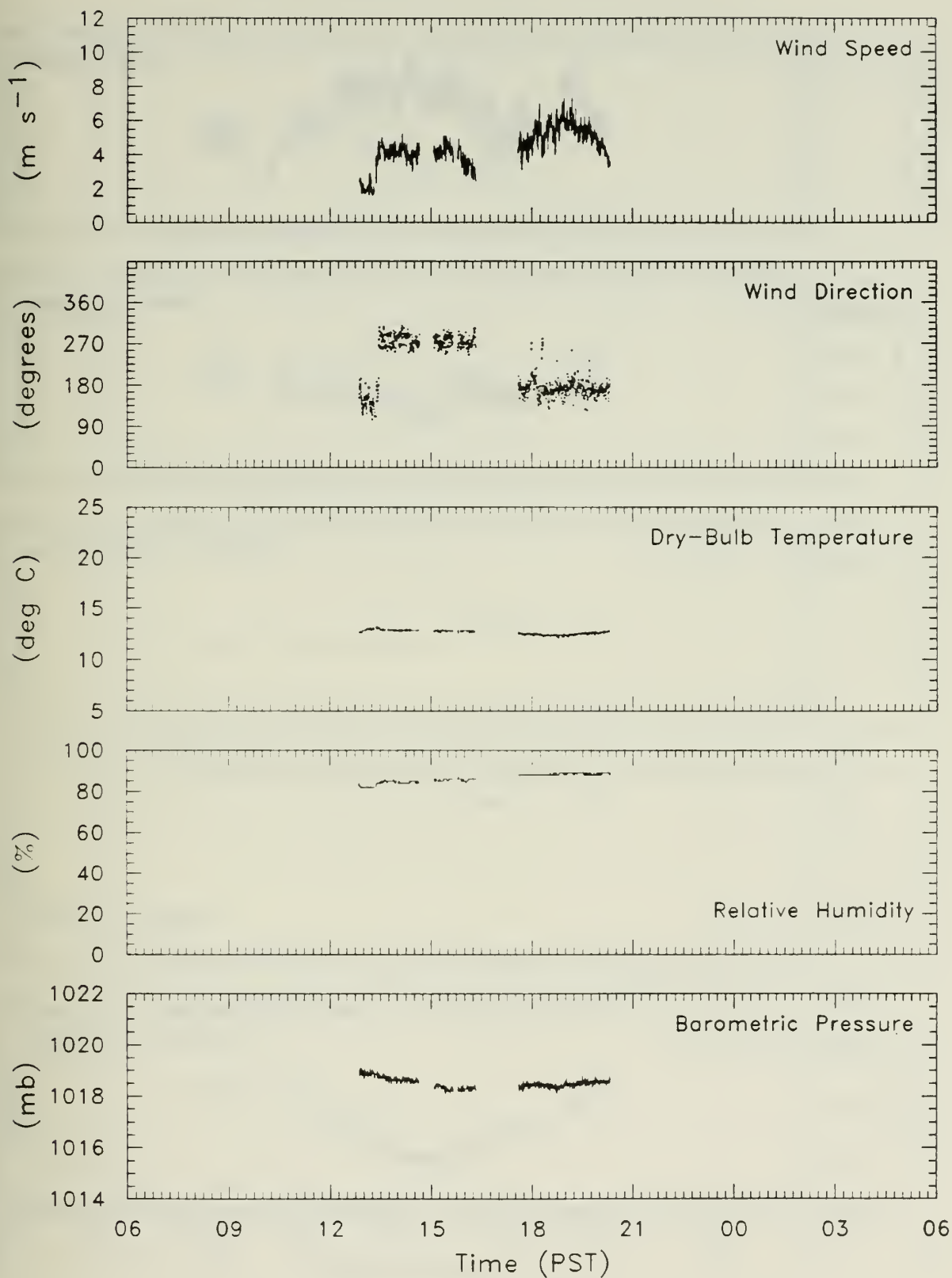
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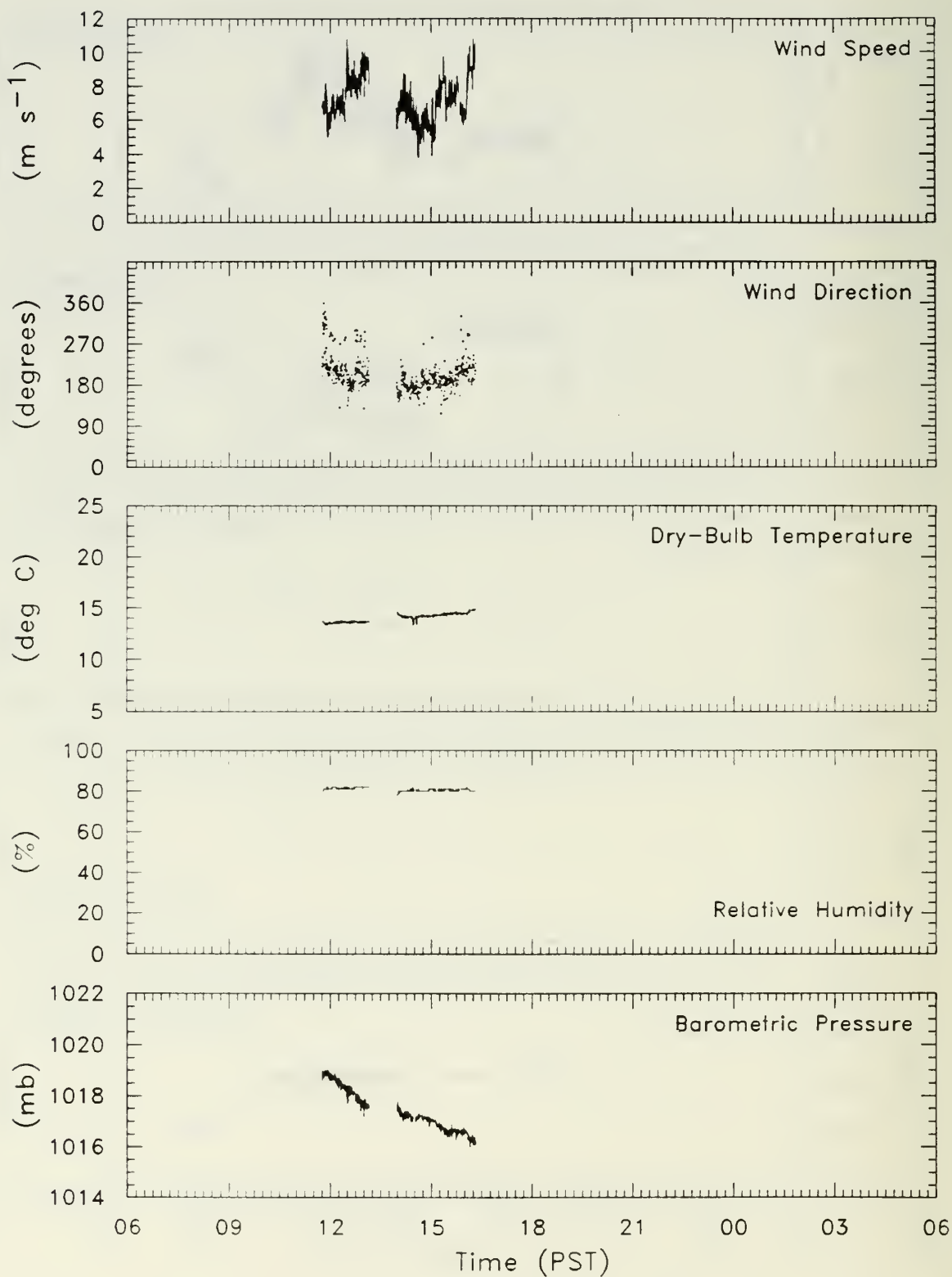
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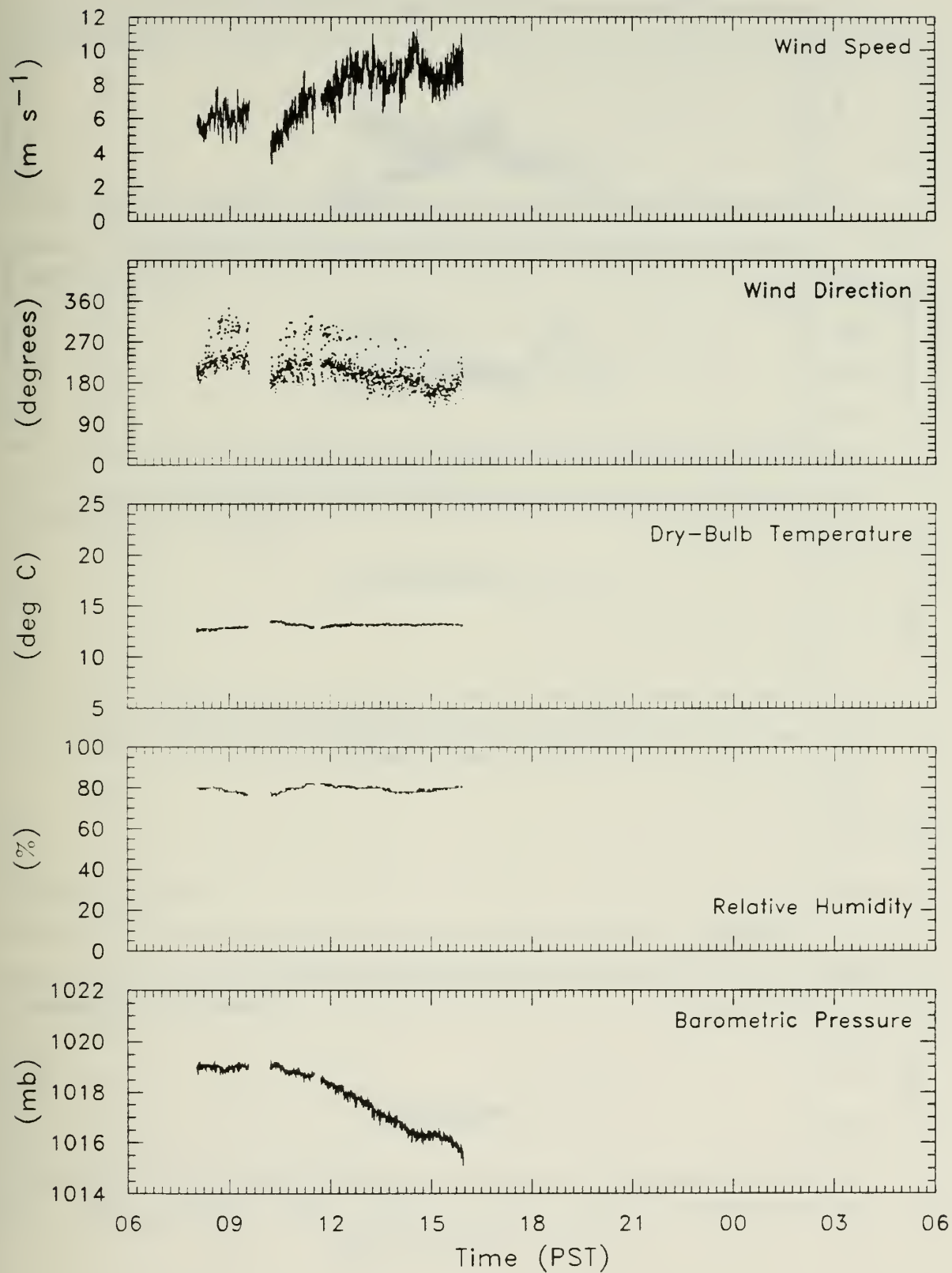
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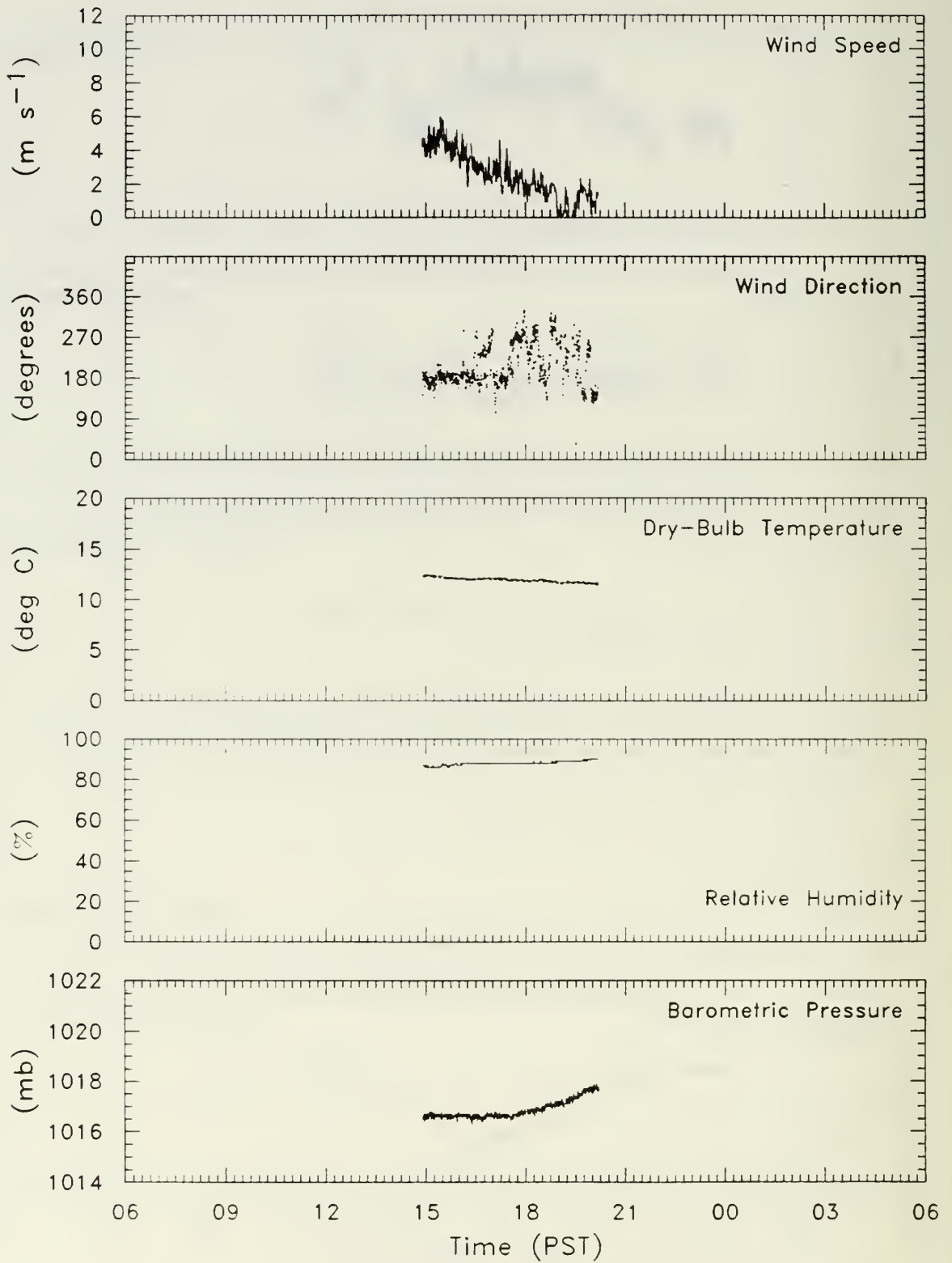
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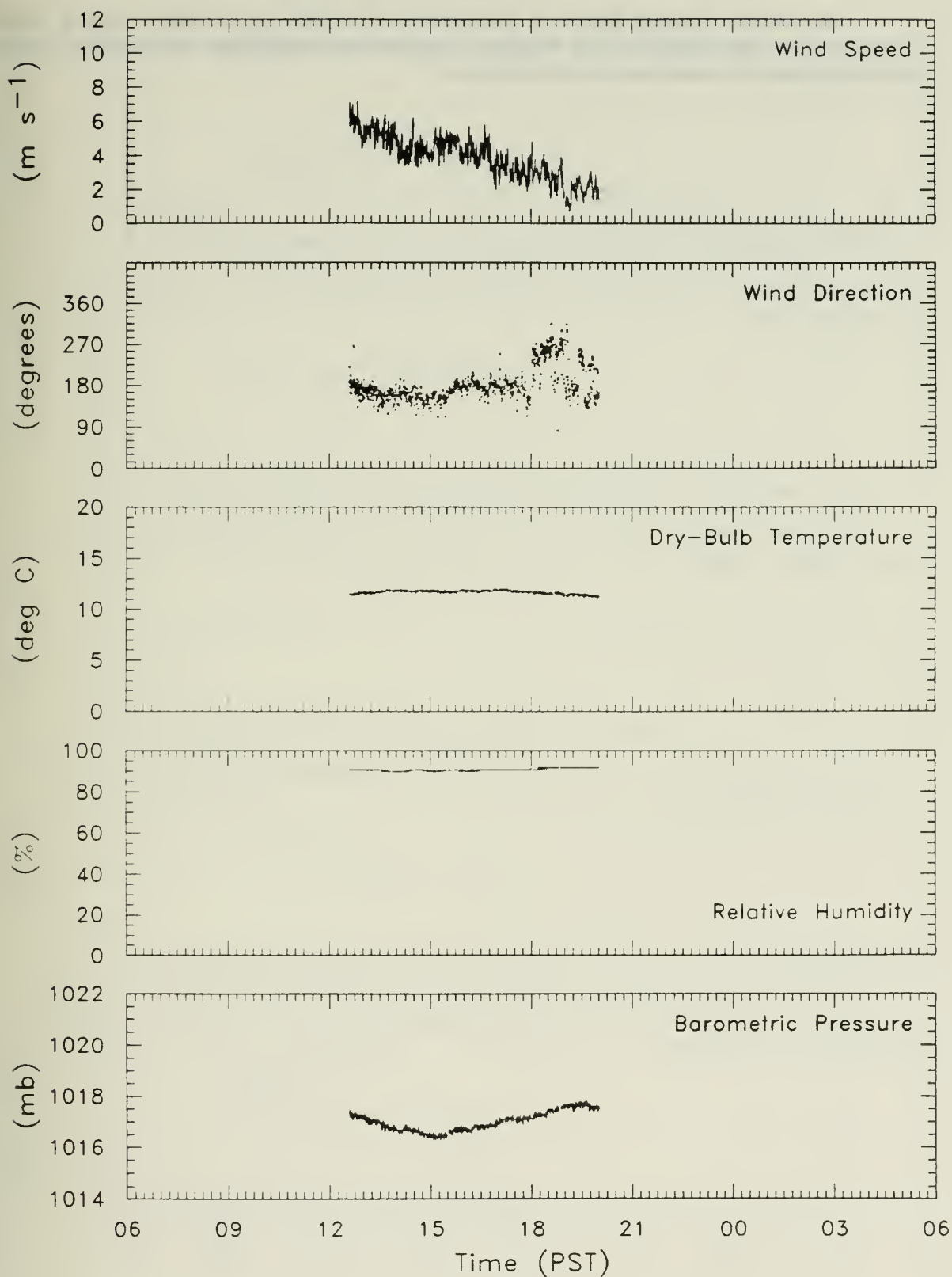
R/V Silver Prince - 25 Sept 1987



R/V Silver Prince - 28 Sept 1987



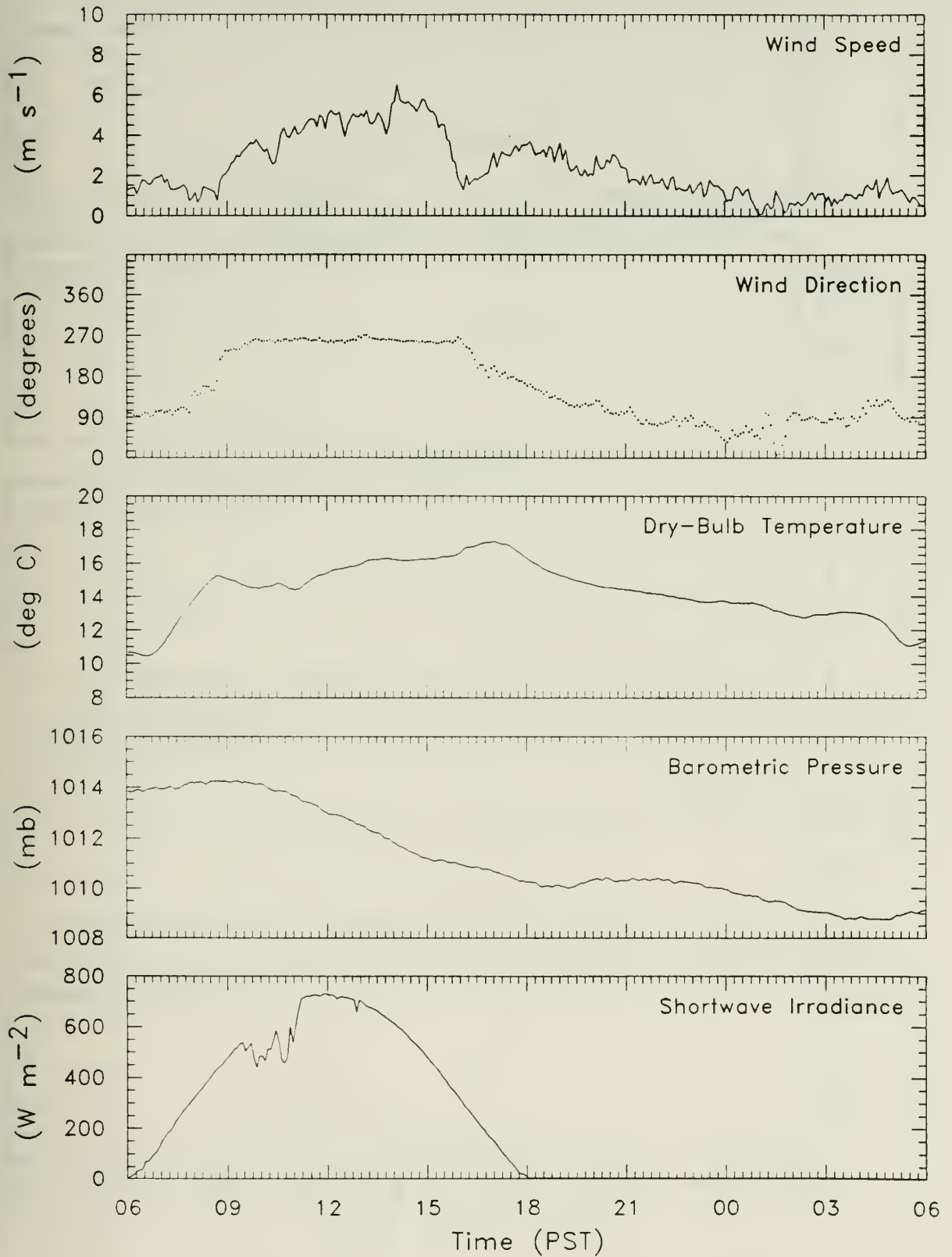
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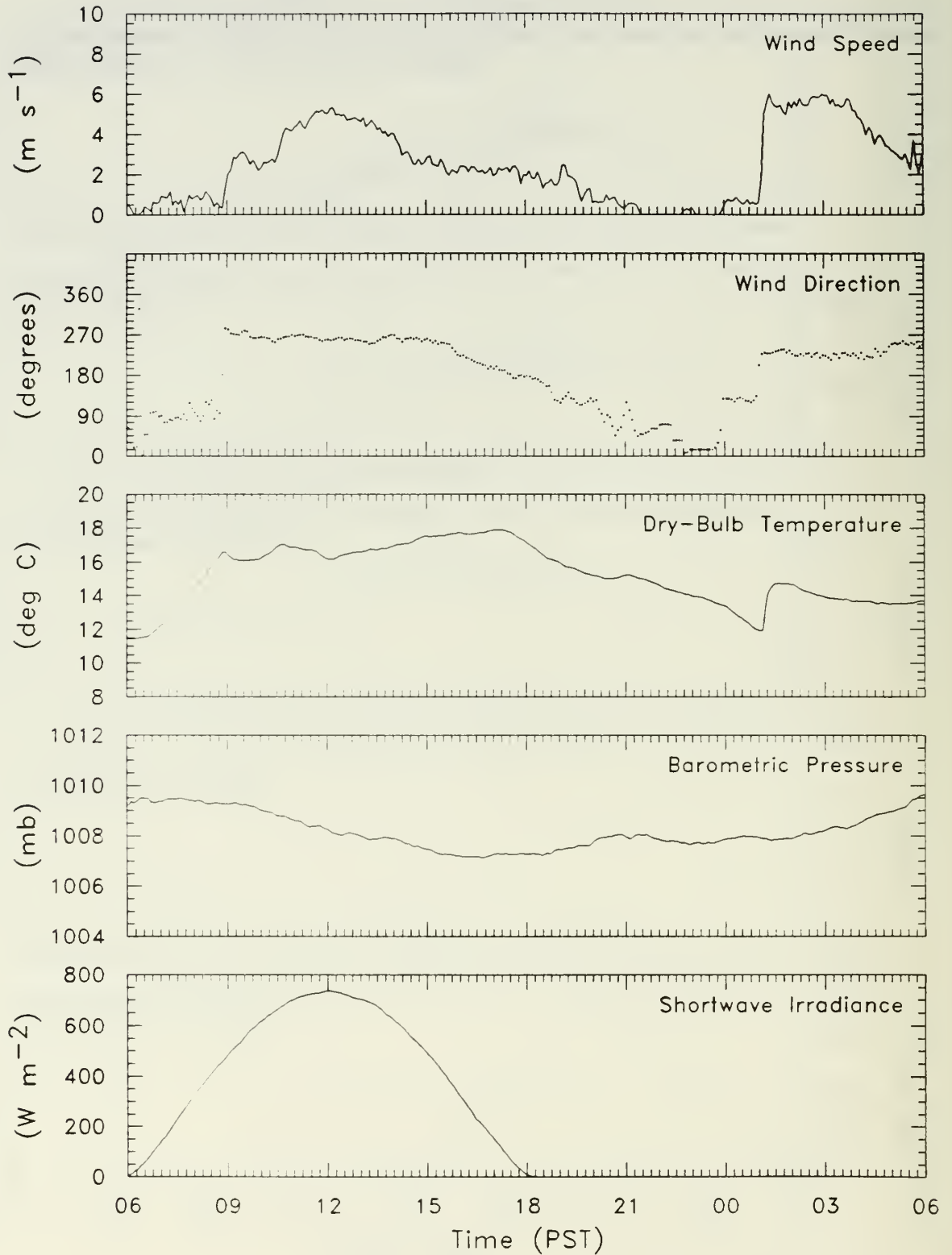
9. TIME SERIES, MOSS LANDING MARINE LABORATORIES

This section presents graphs of data collected routinely by the Moss Landing Marine Laboratories during LASBEX (Fig. 1). Relative humidities were unavailable, but these data contain shortwave irradiance measurements at the surface.

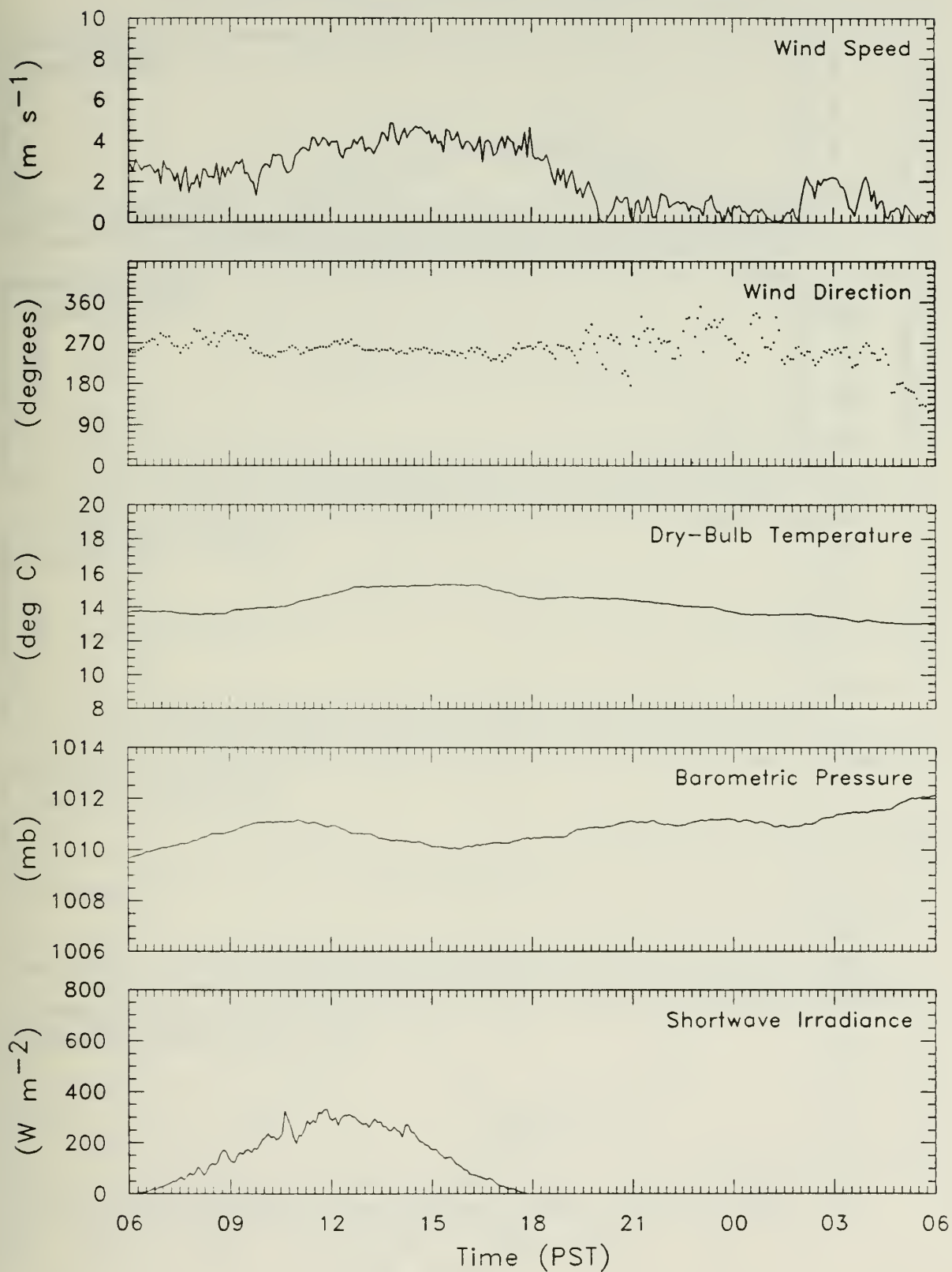
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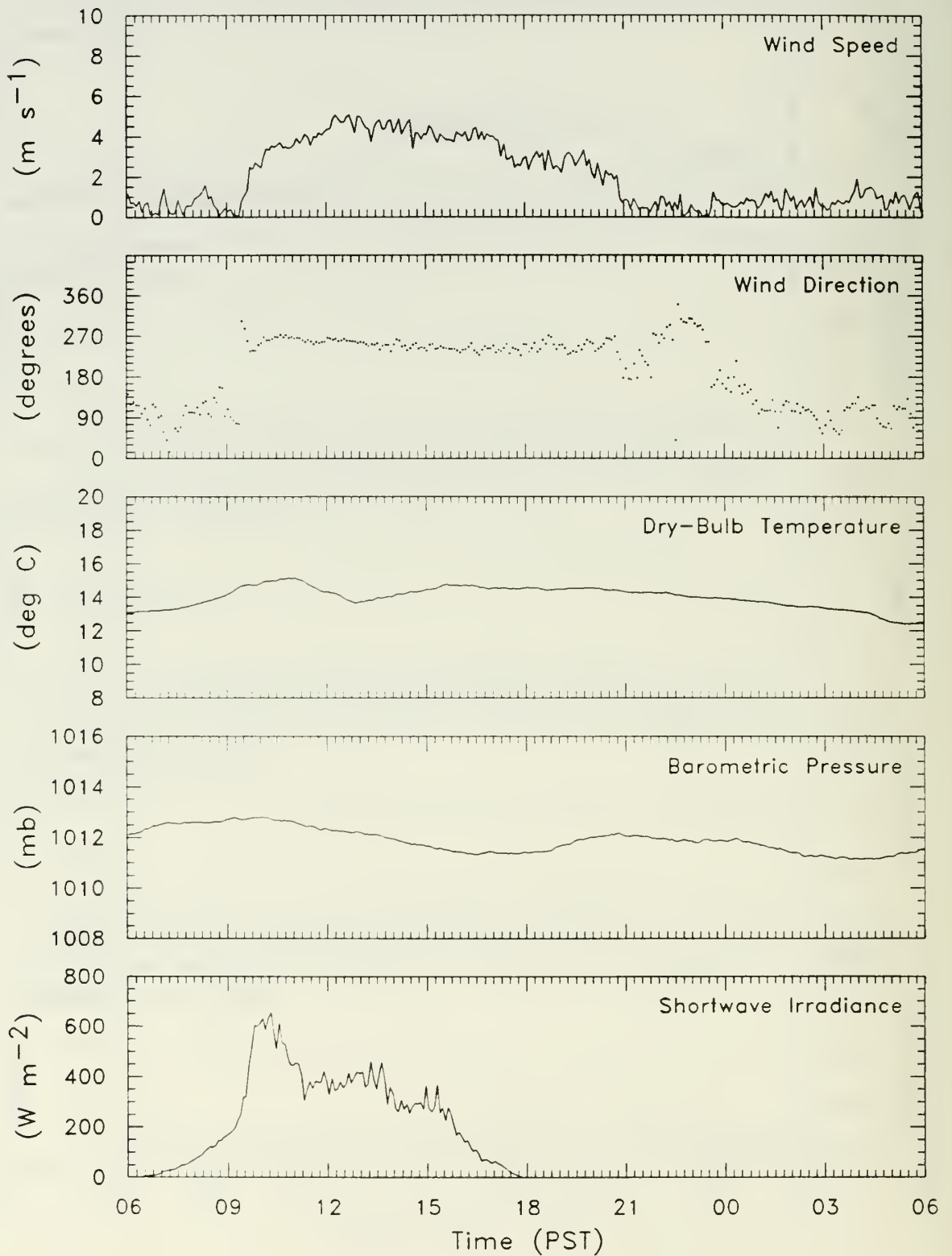
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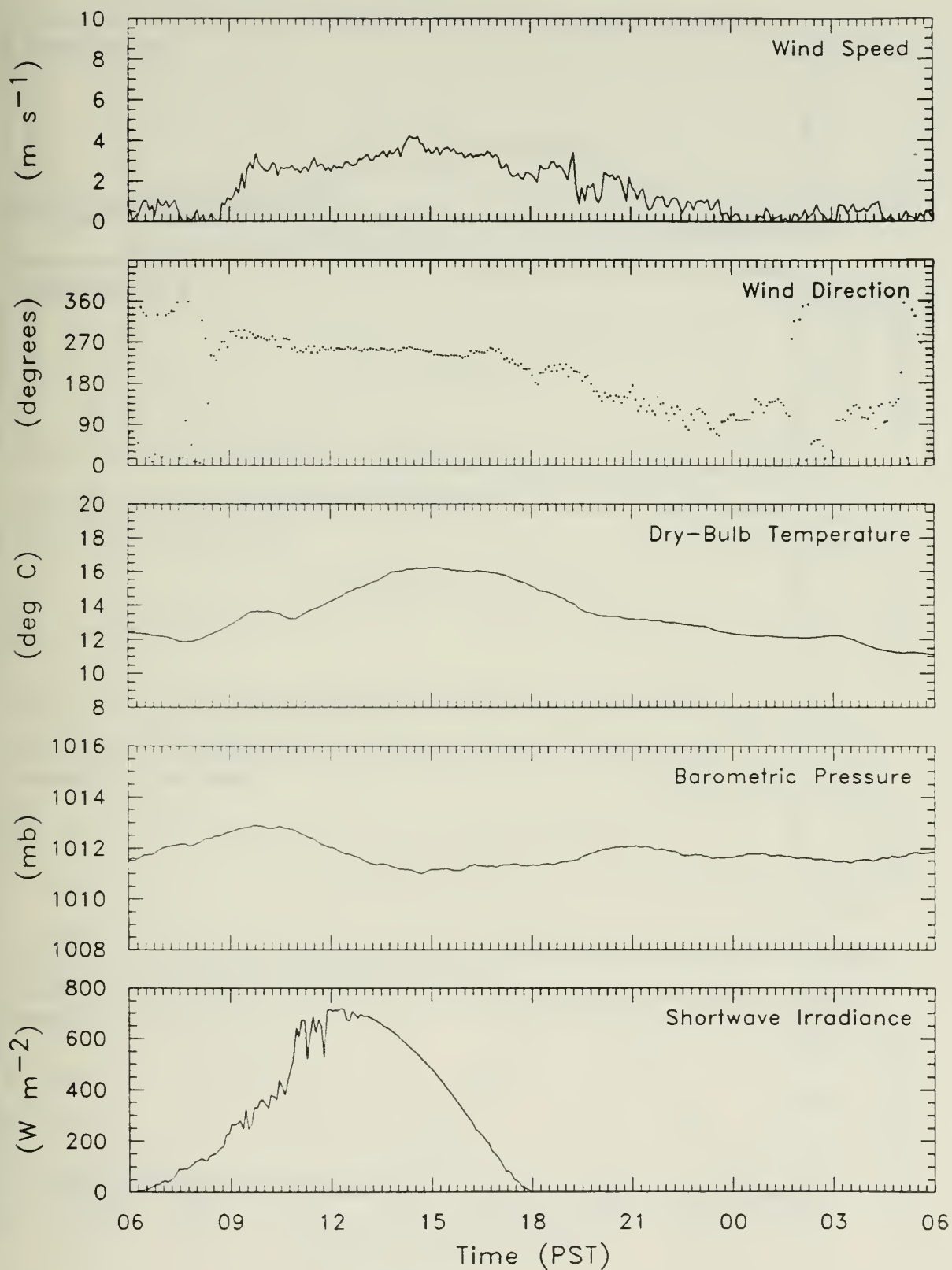
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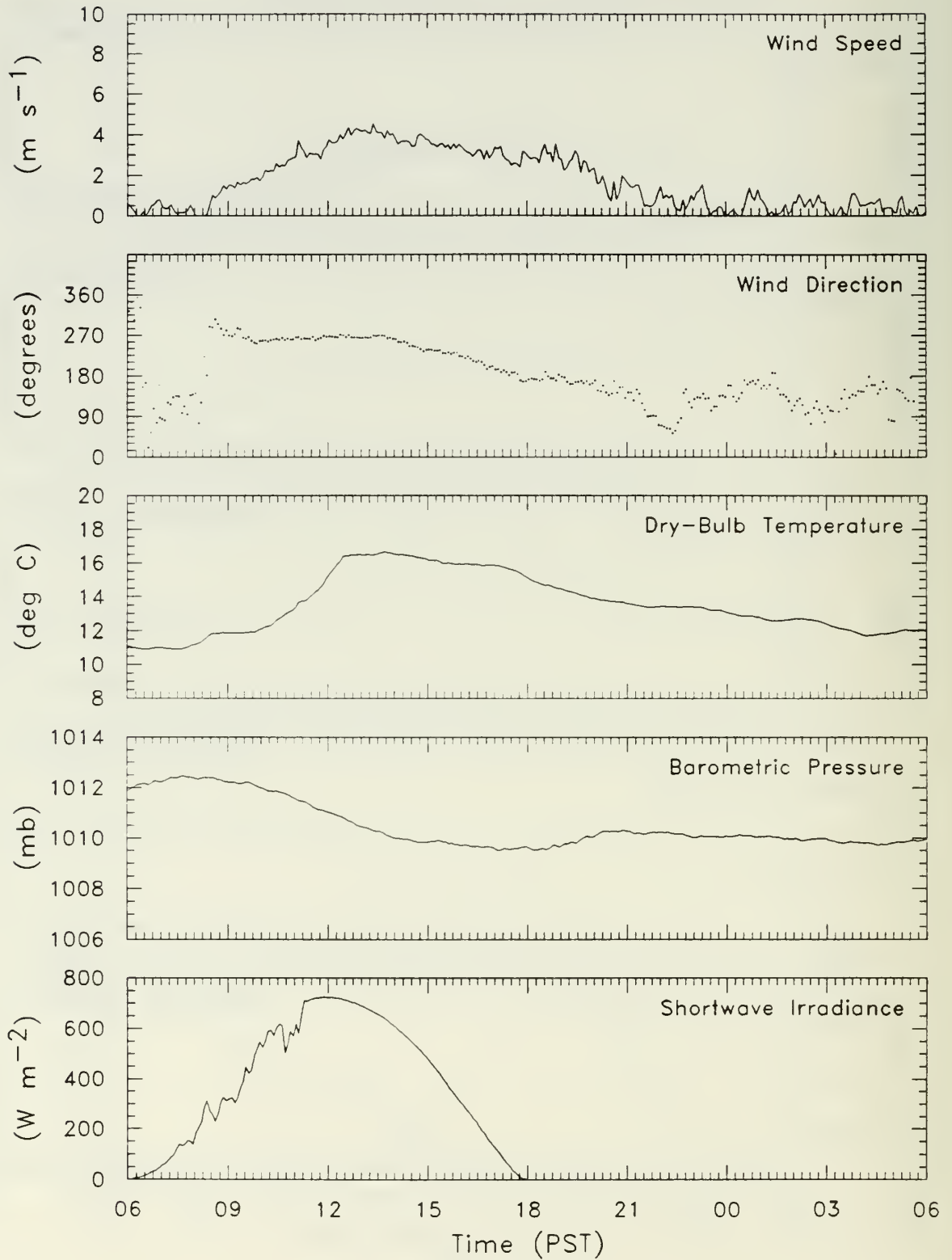
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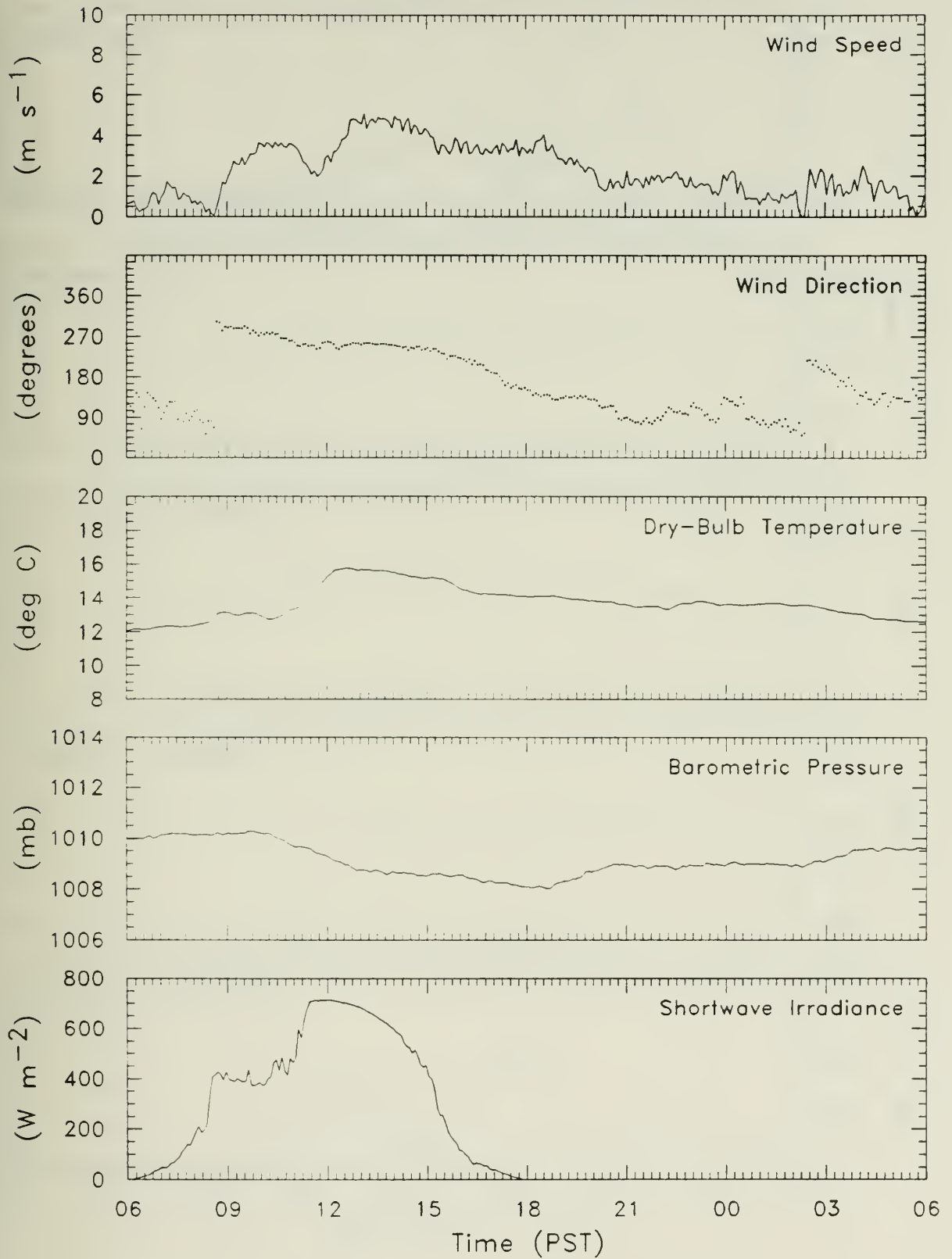
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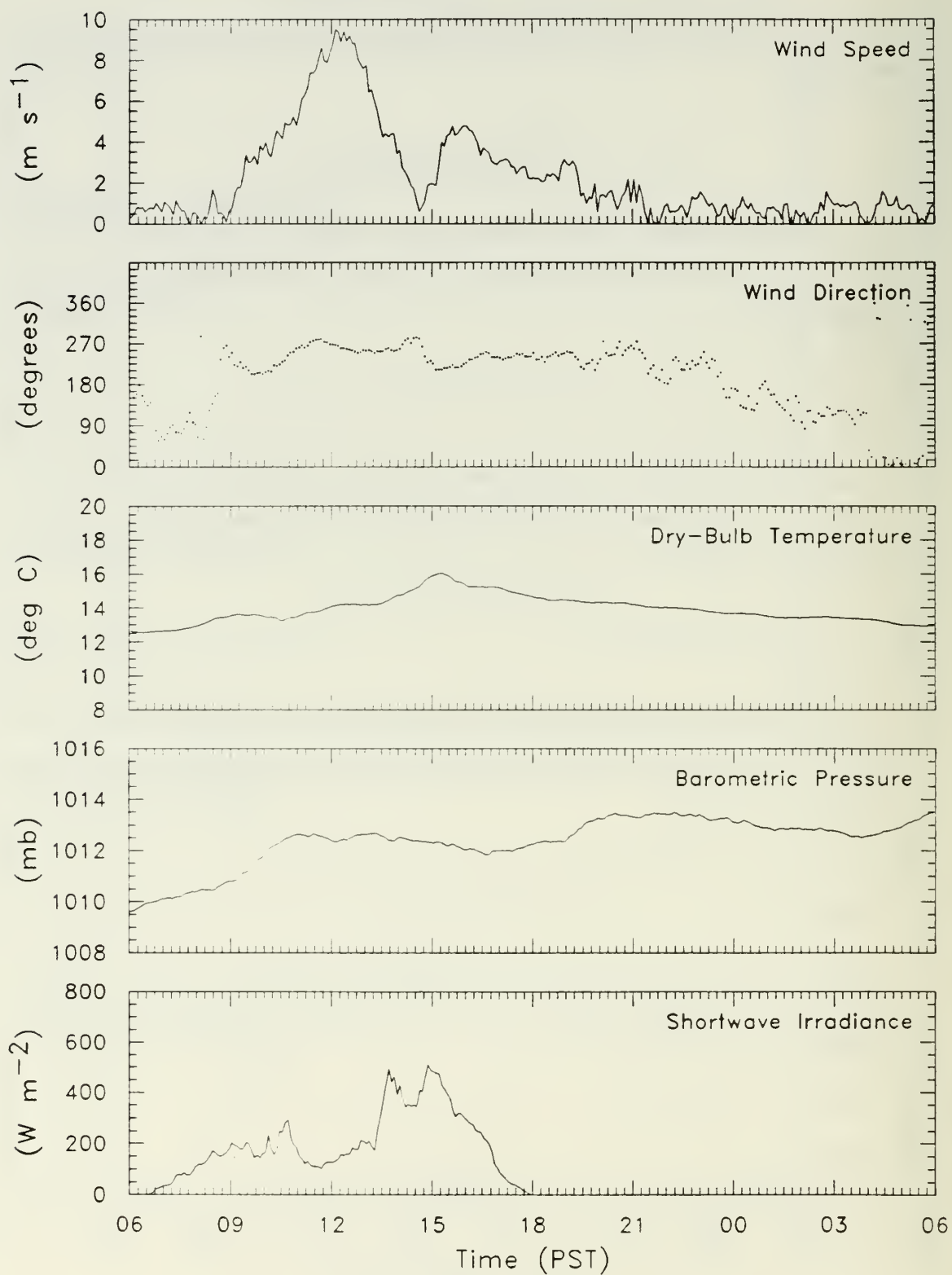
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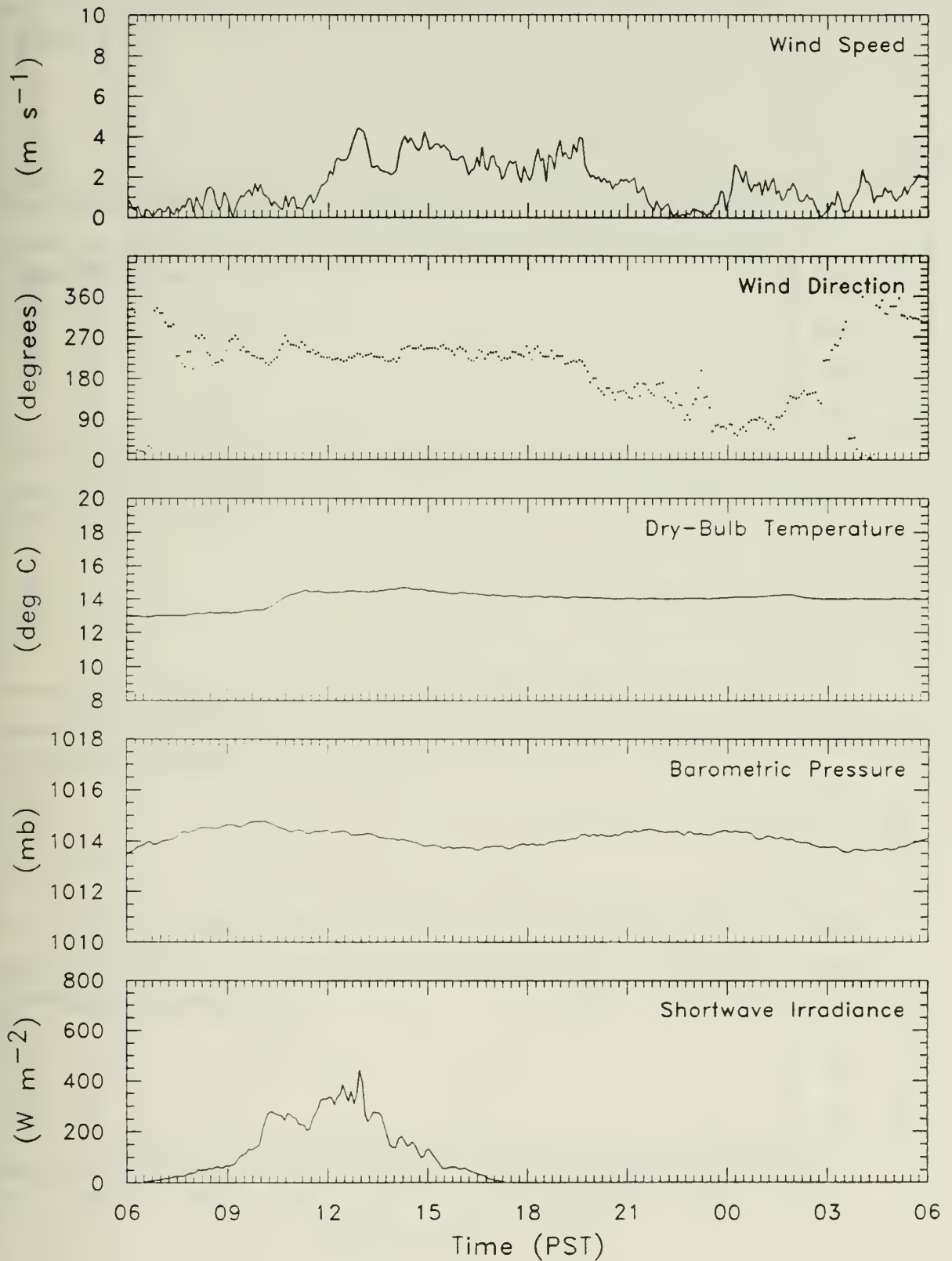
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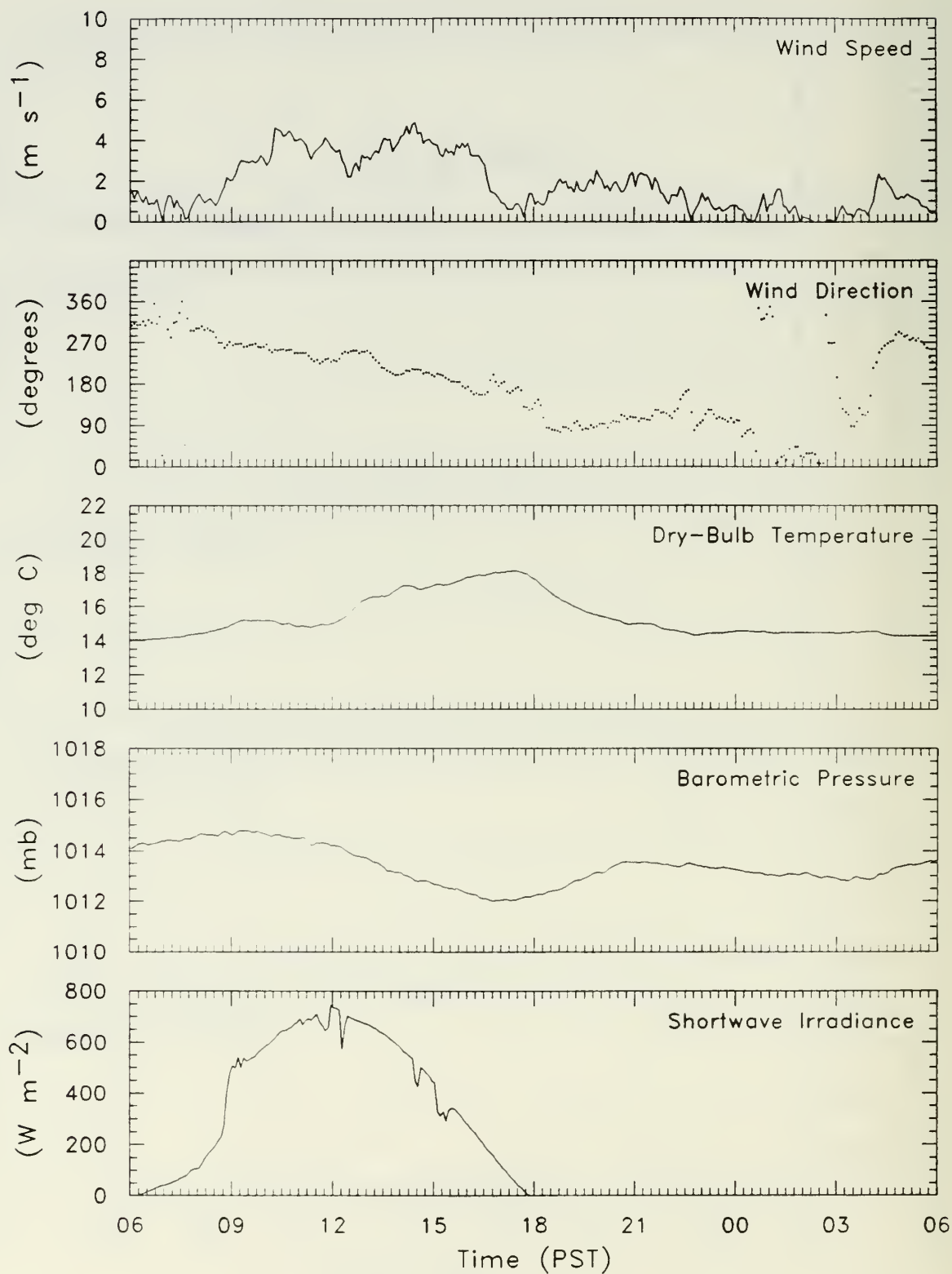
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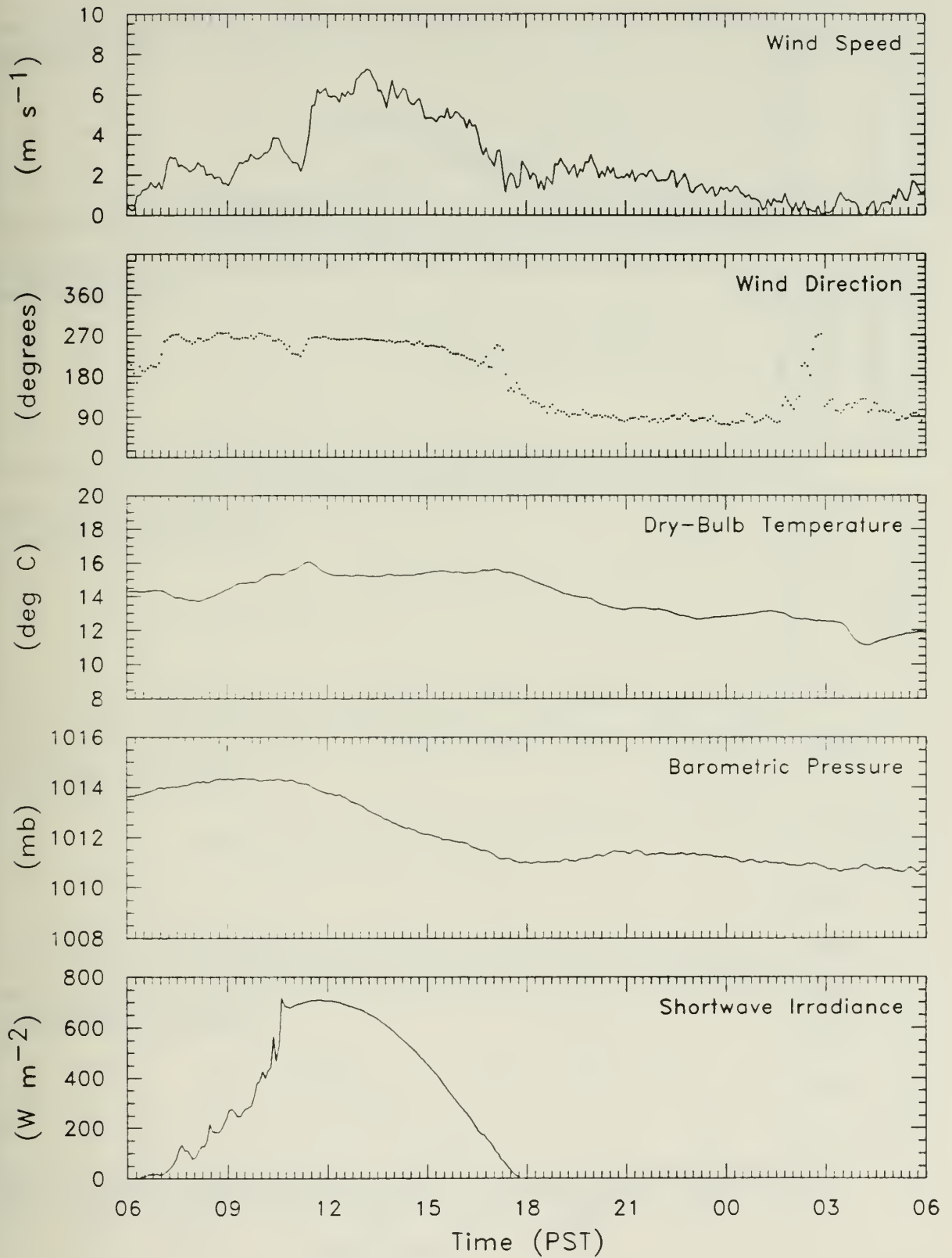
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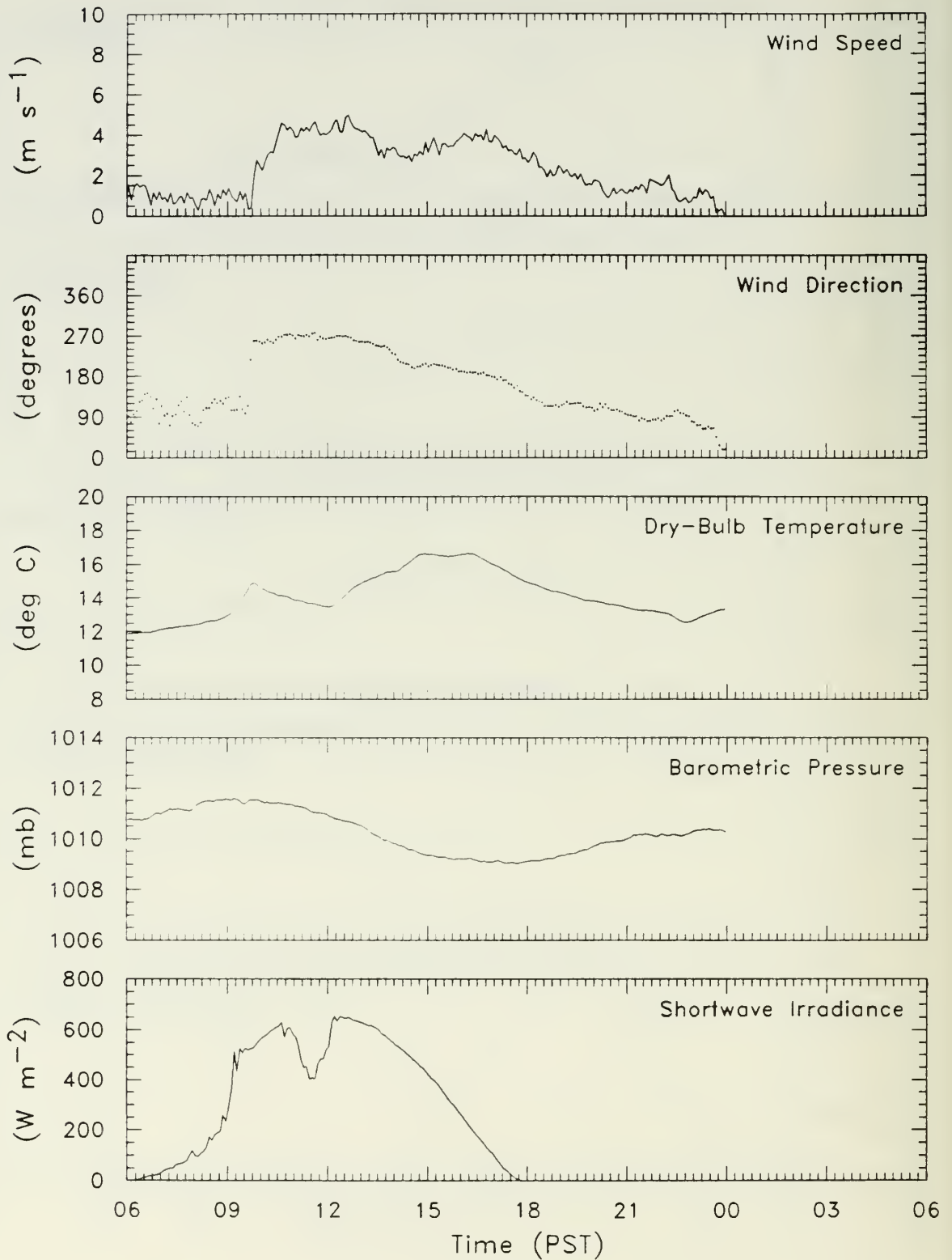
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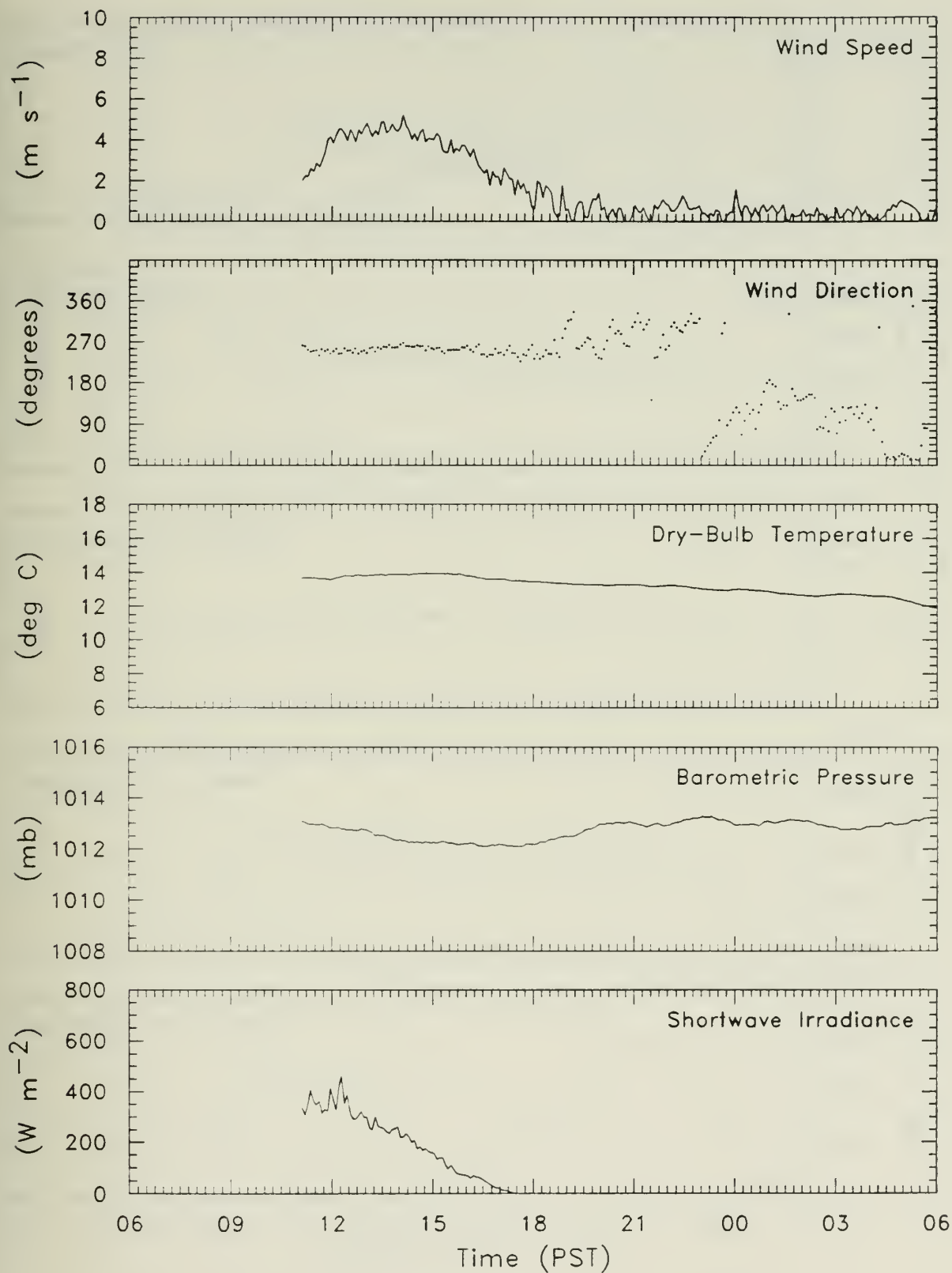
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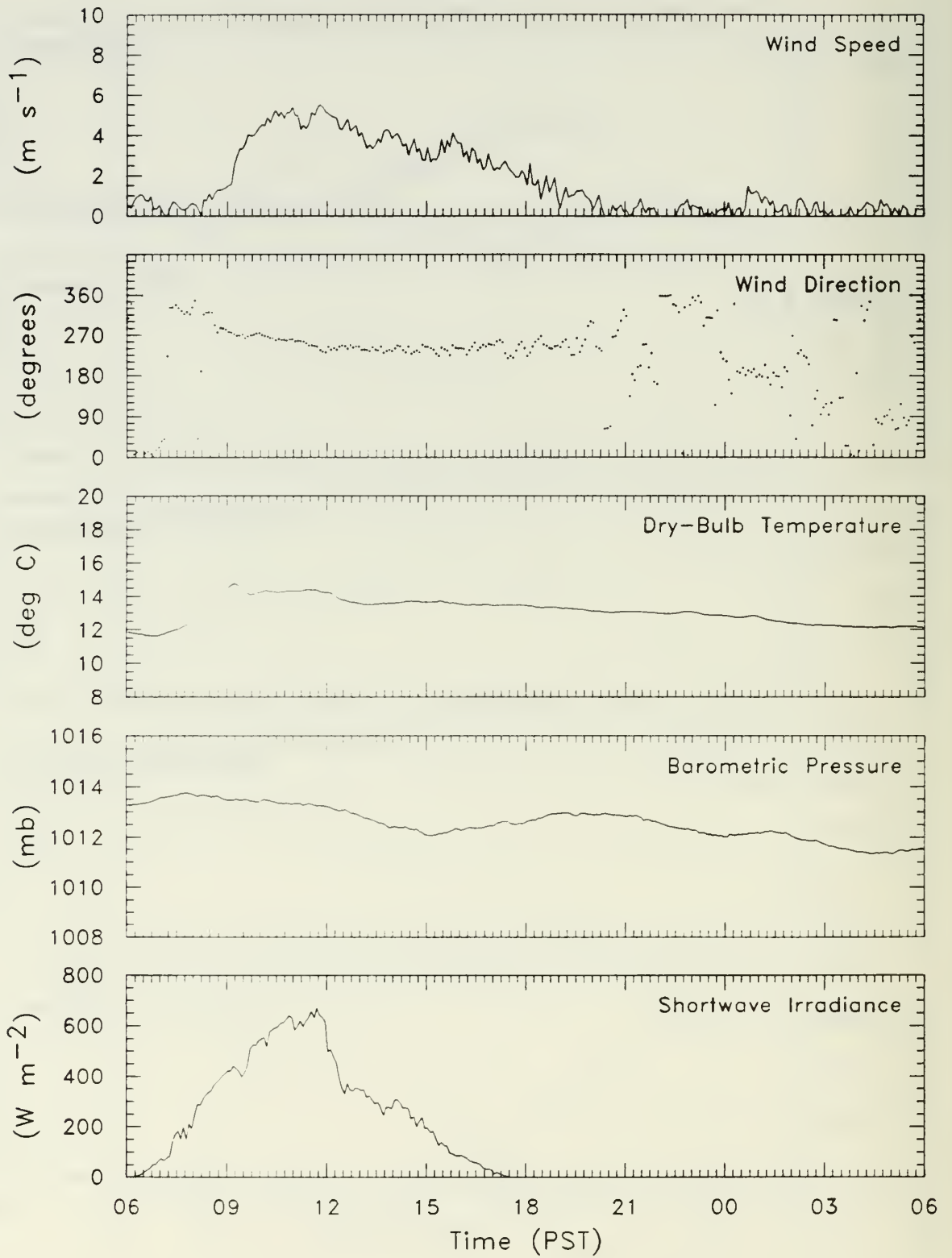
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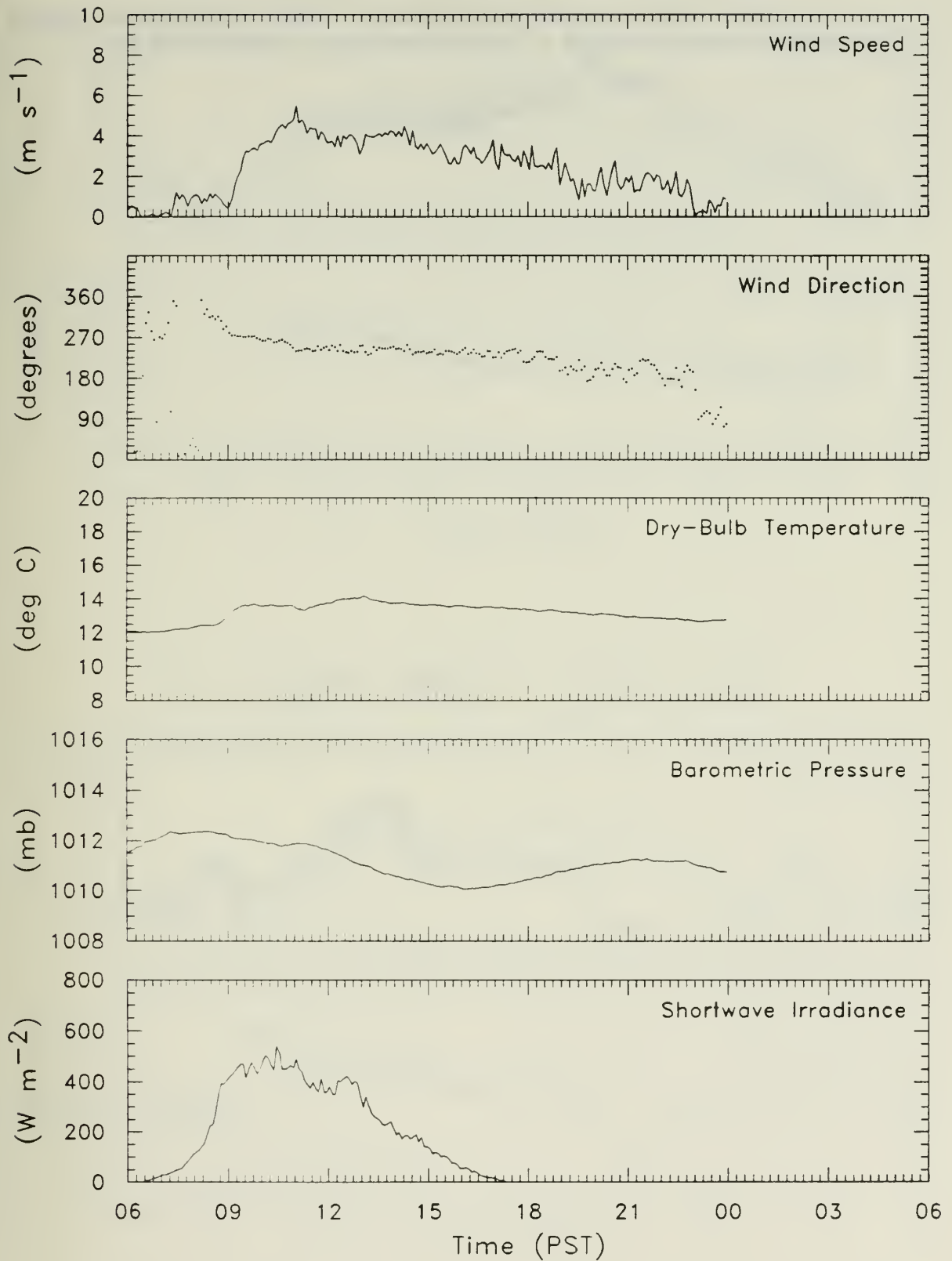
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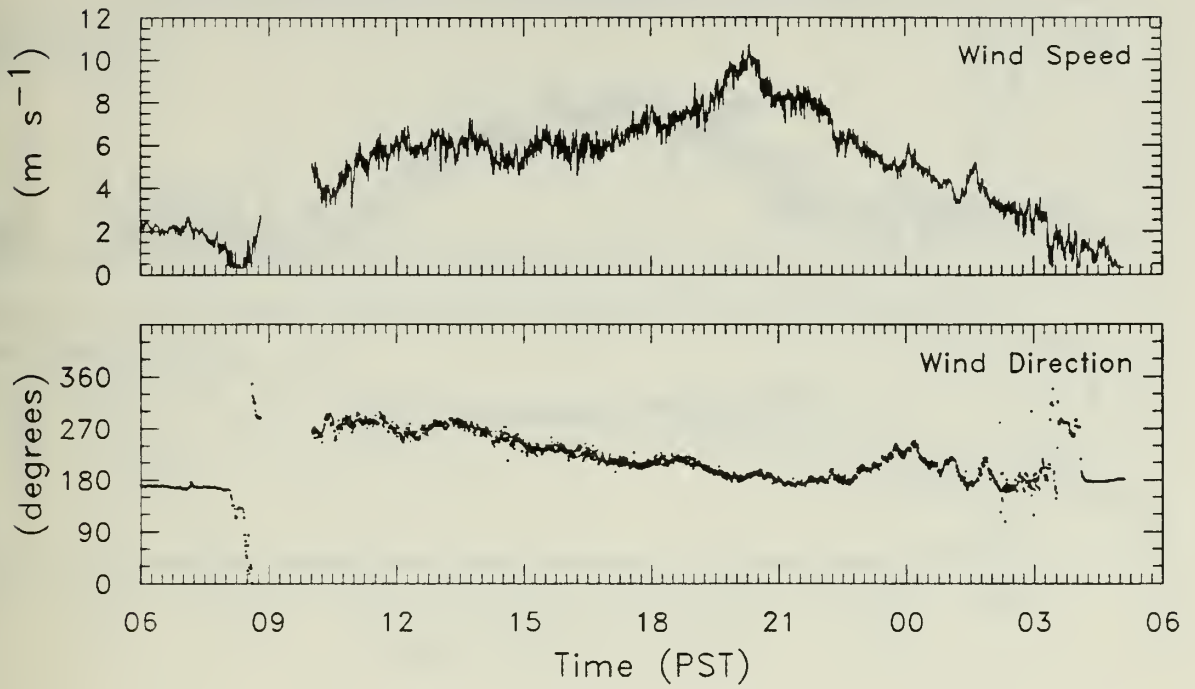
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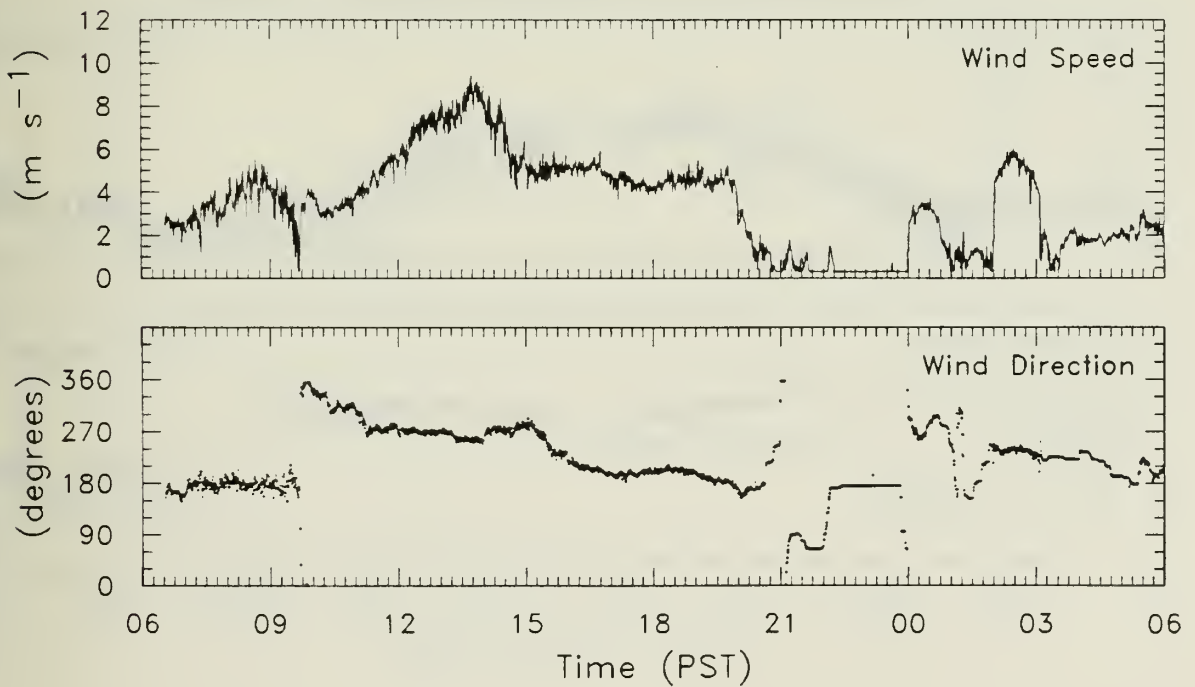
10. TIME SERIES, MARINA BEACH

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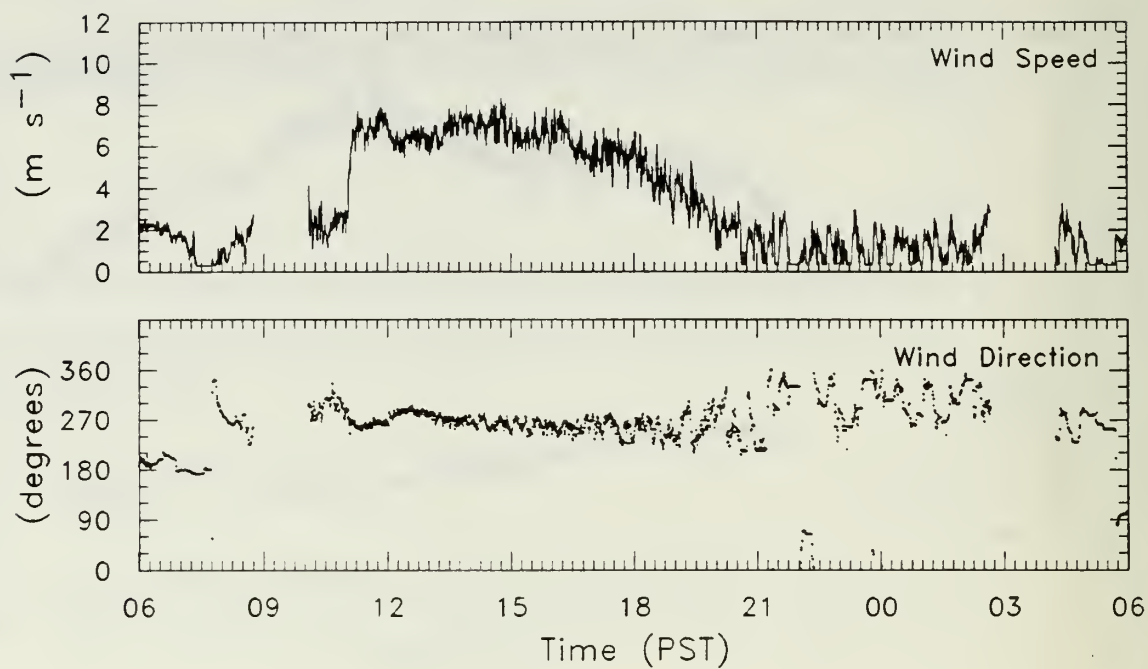
Marina Beach - 15 Sept 1987



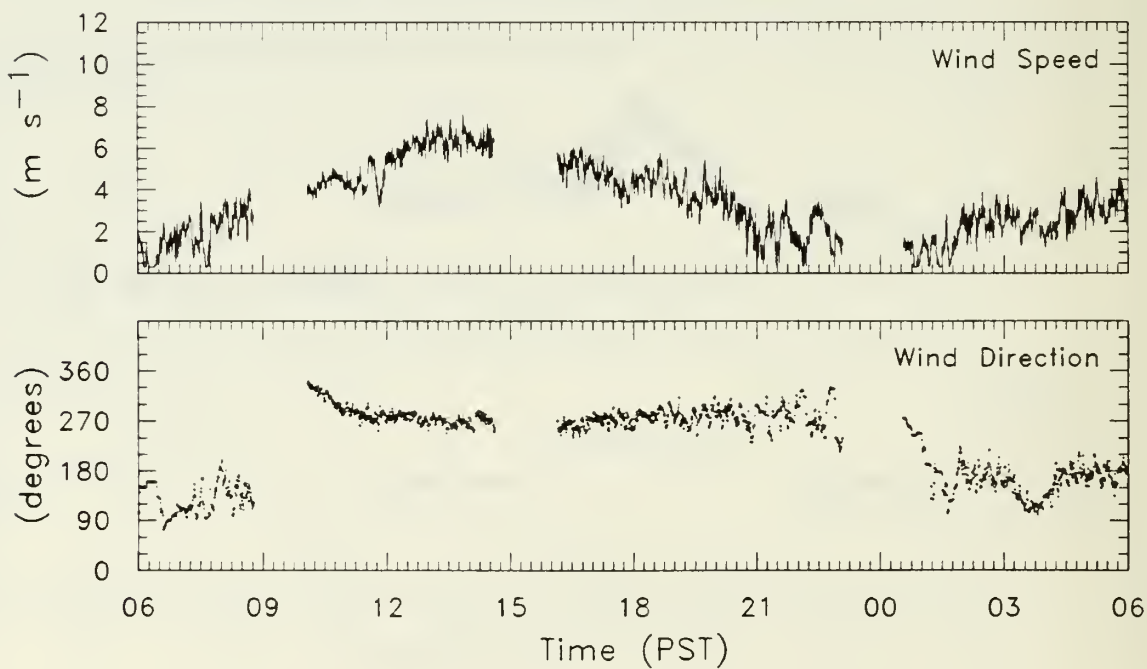
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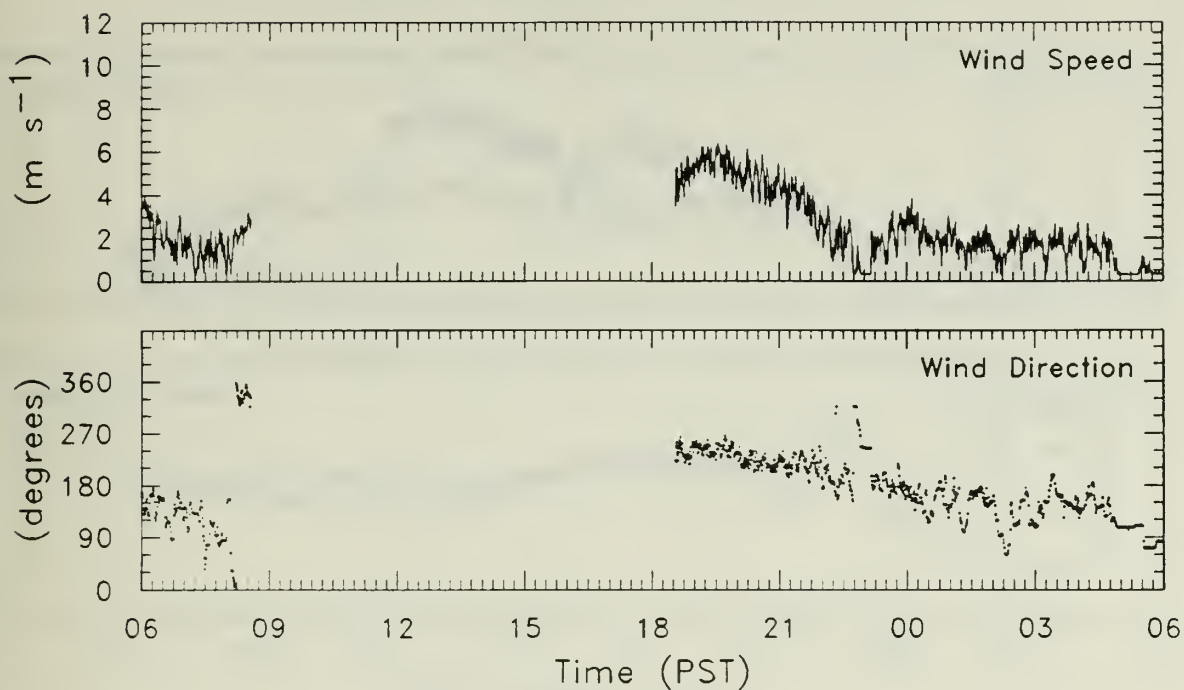
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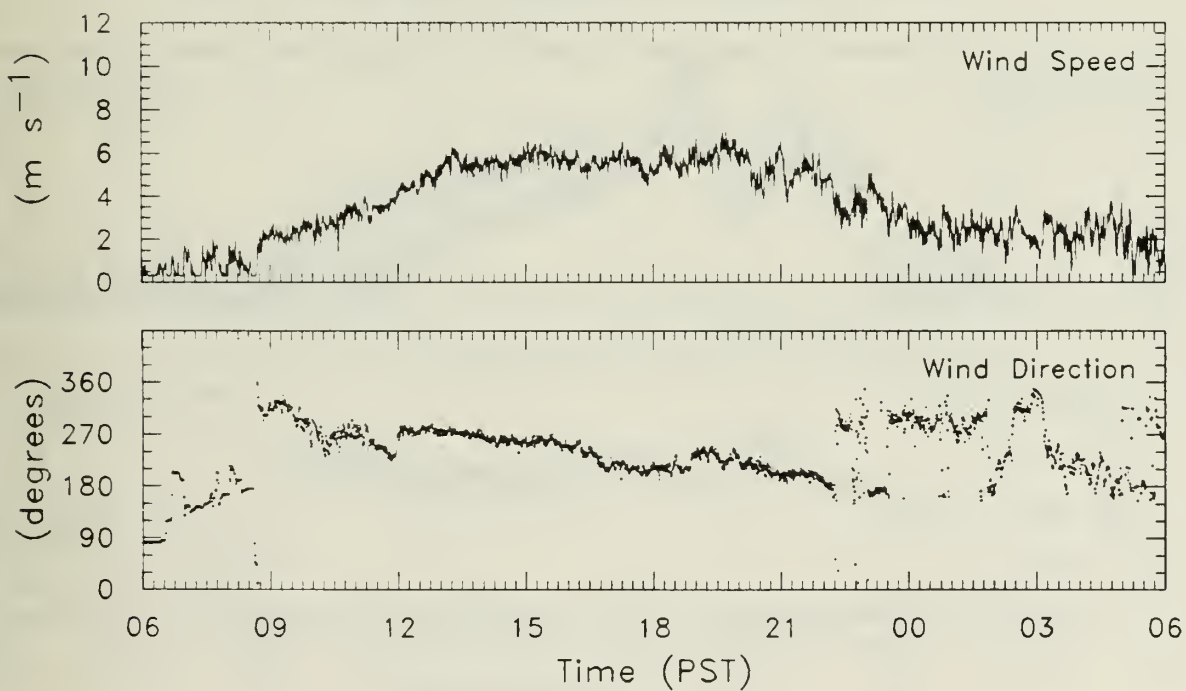
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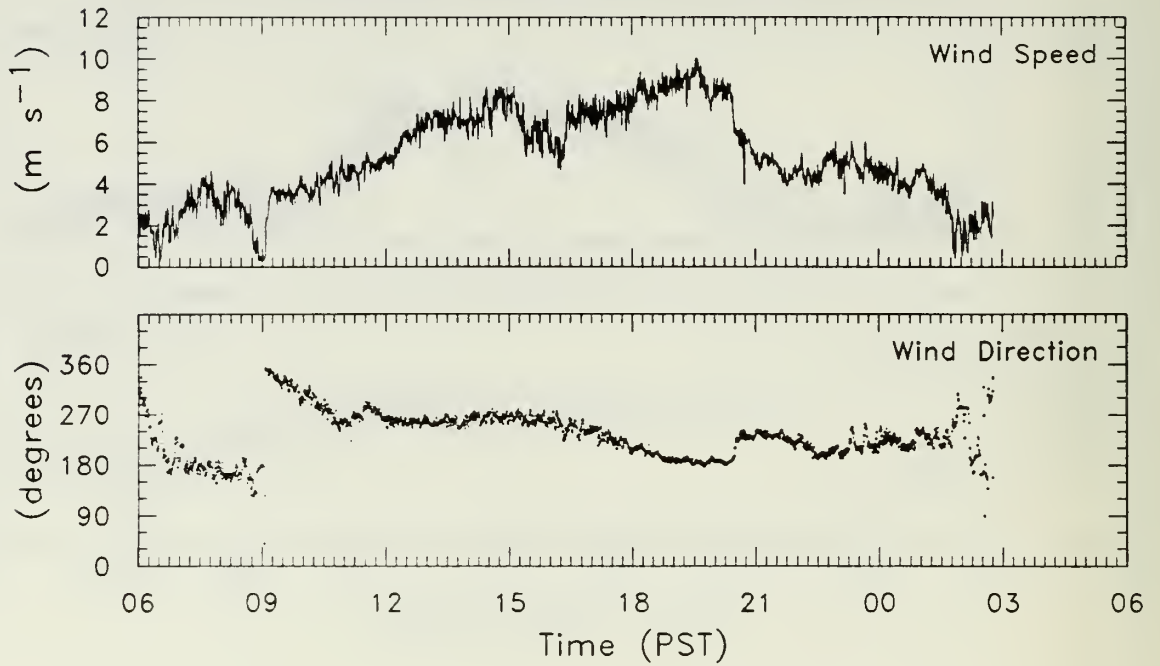
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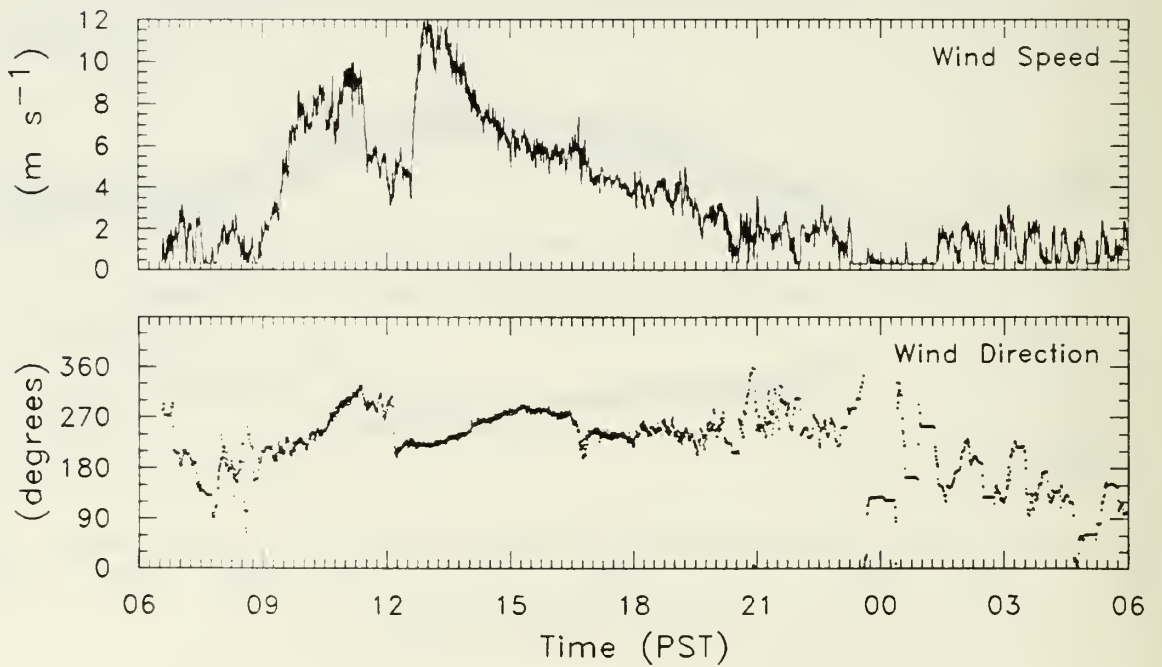
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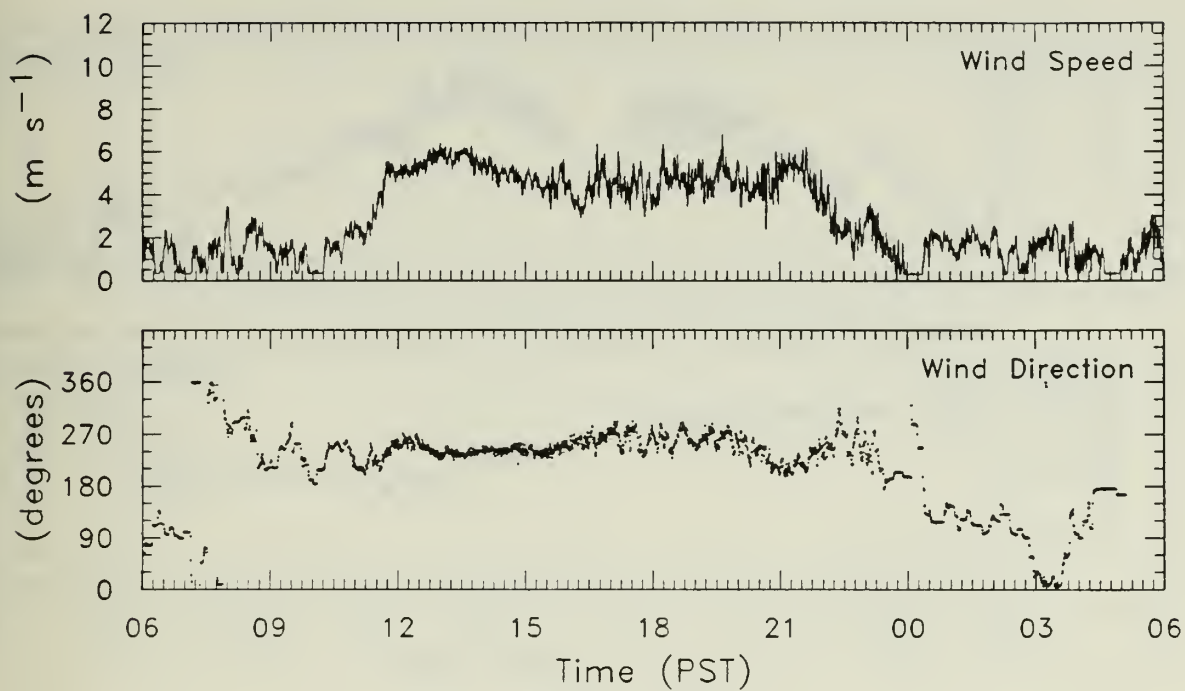
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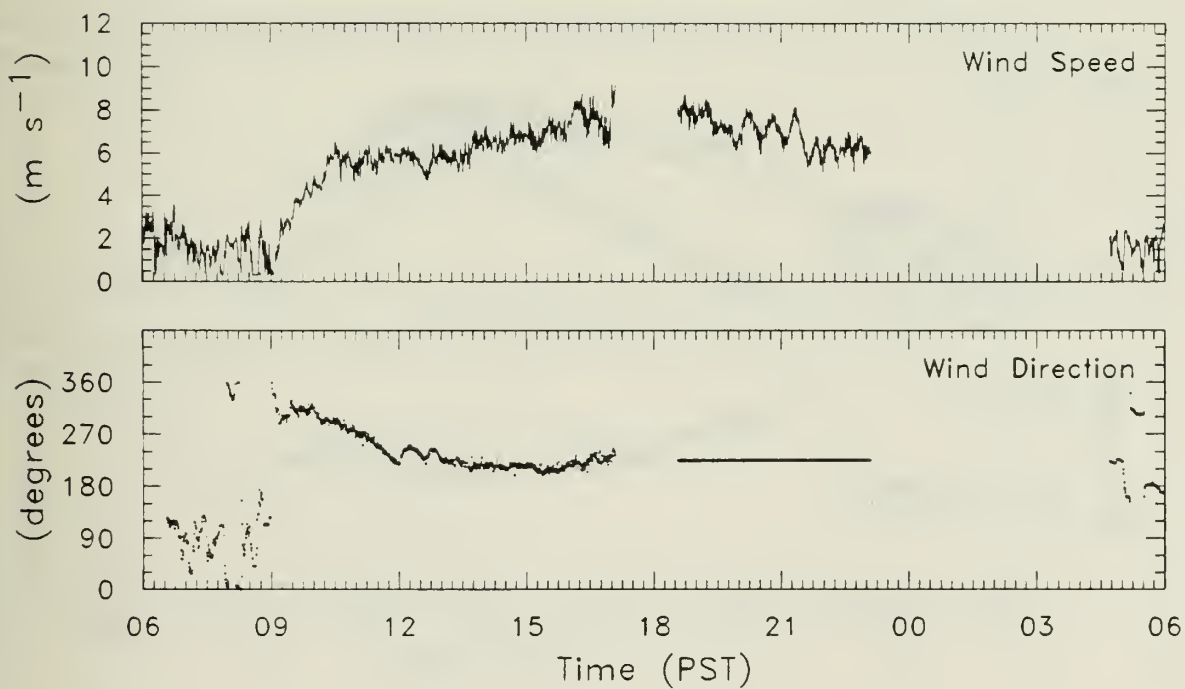
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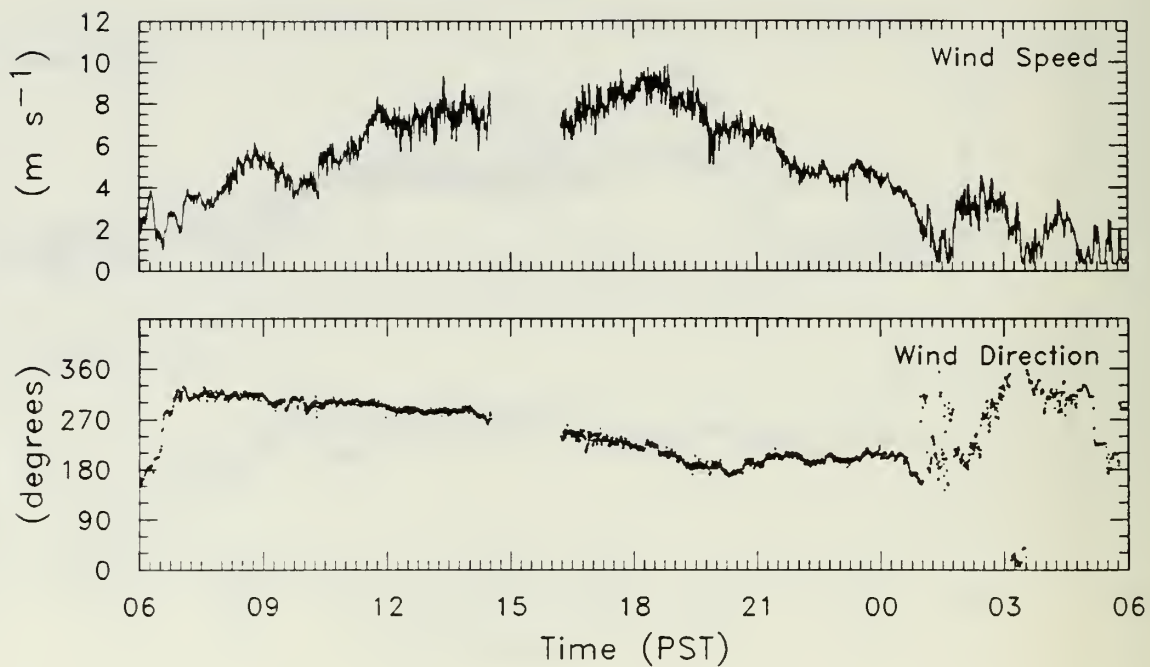
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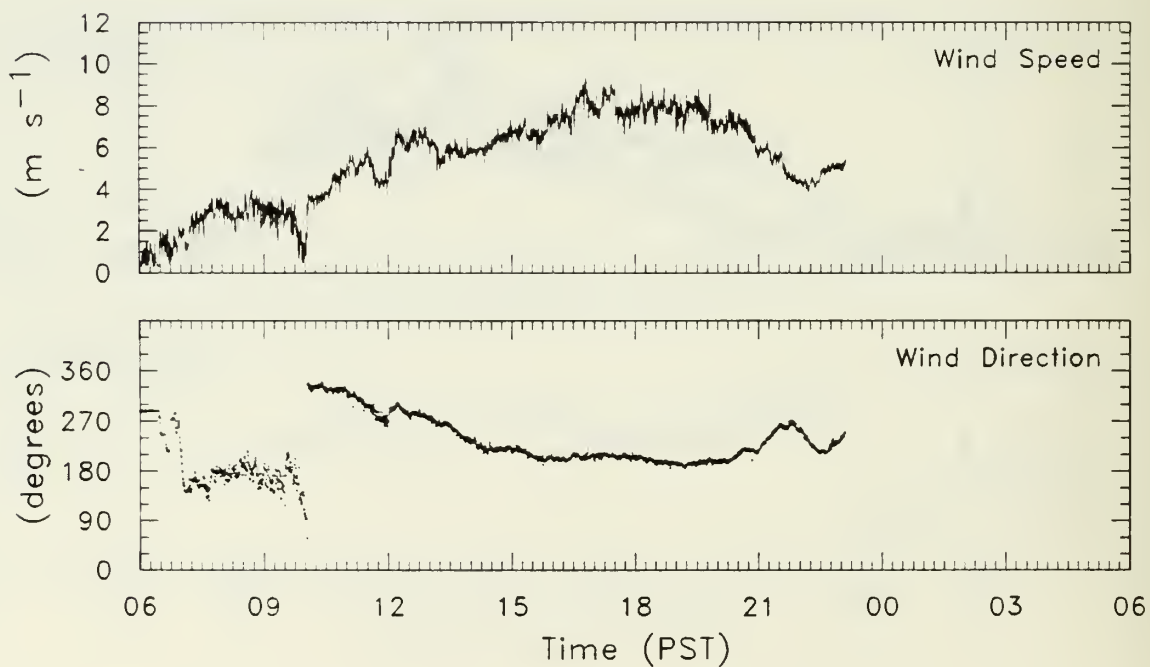
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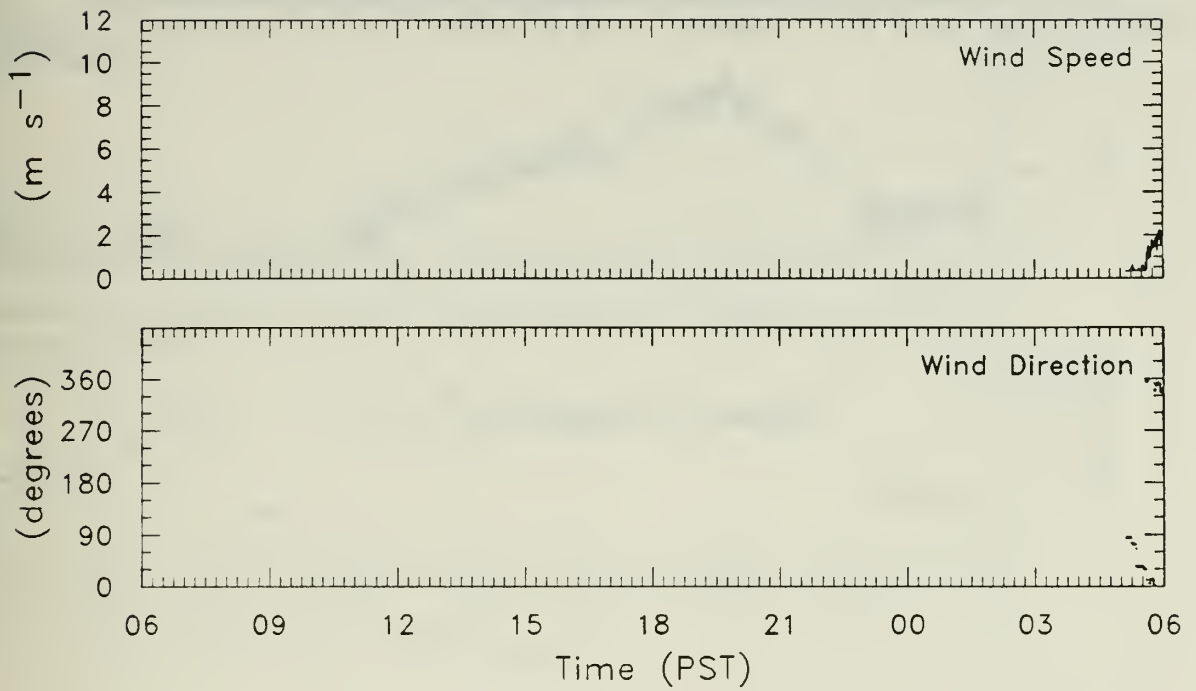
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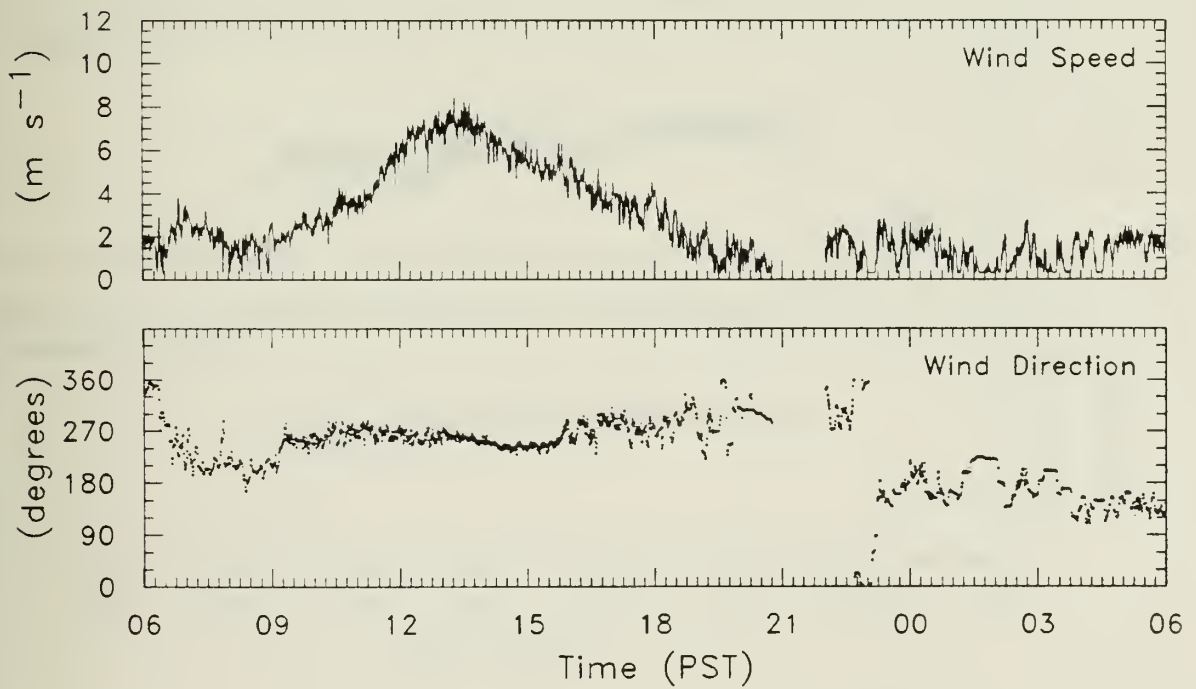
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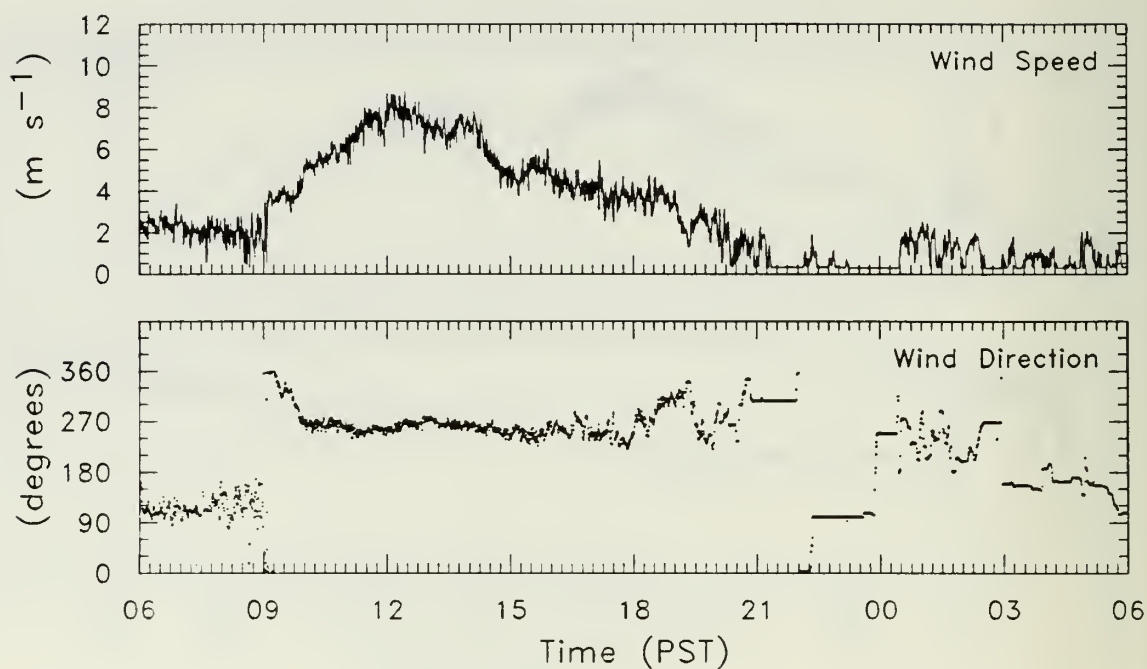
Marina Beach - 27 Sept 1987



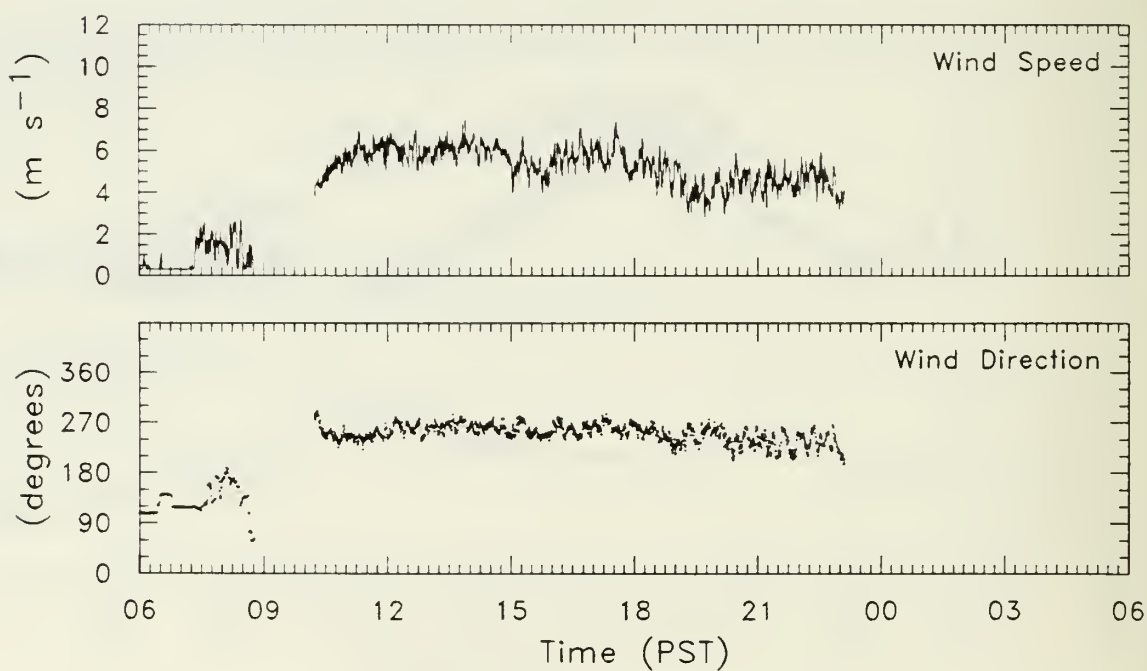
Marina Beach - 28 Sept 1987



Marina Beach - 29 Sept 1987



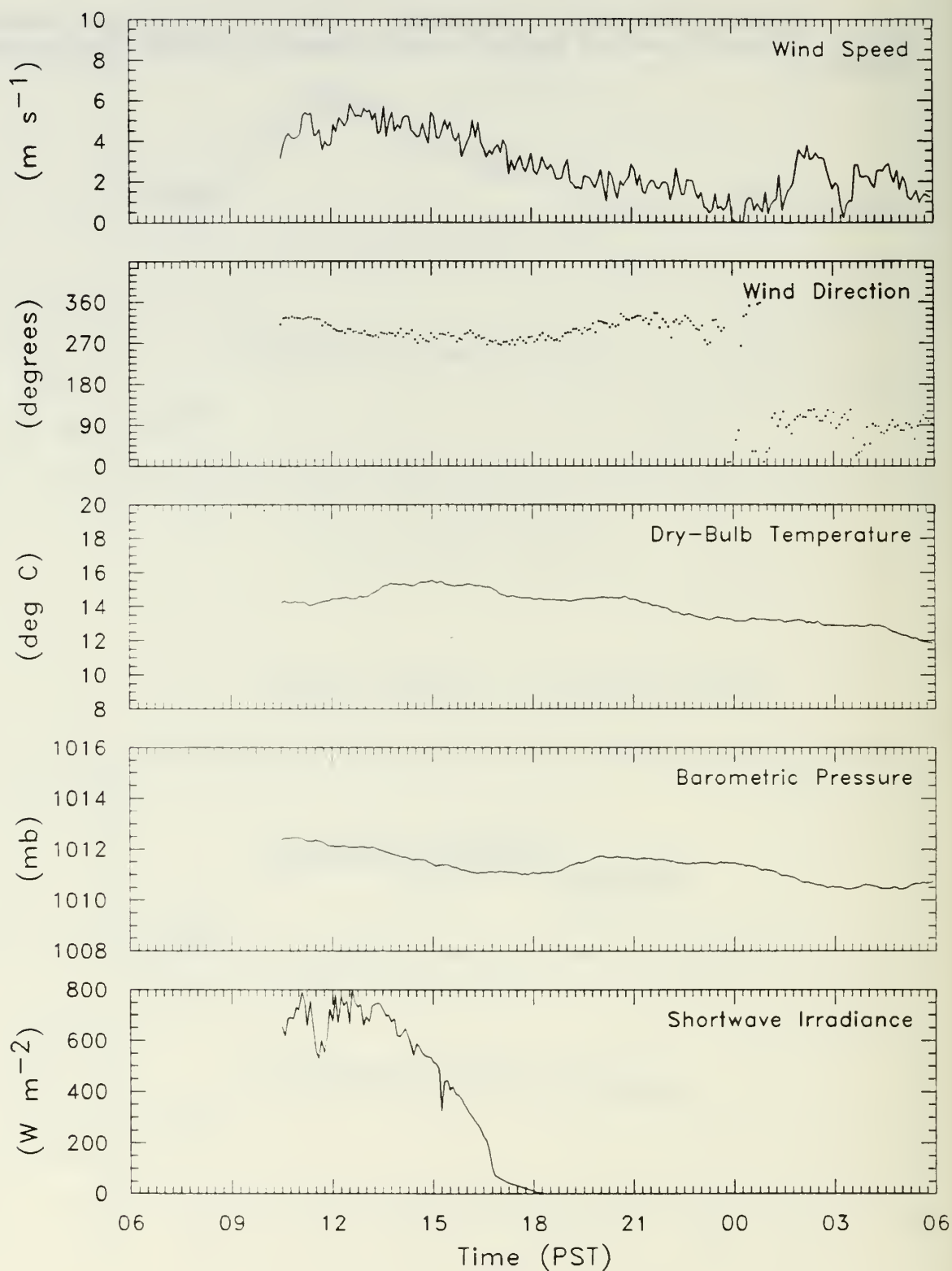
Marina Beach - 30 Sept 1987



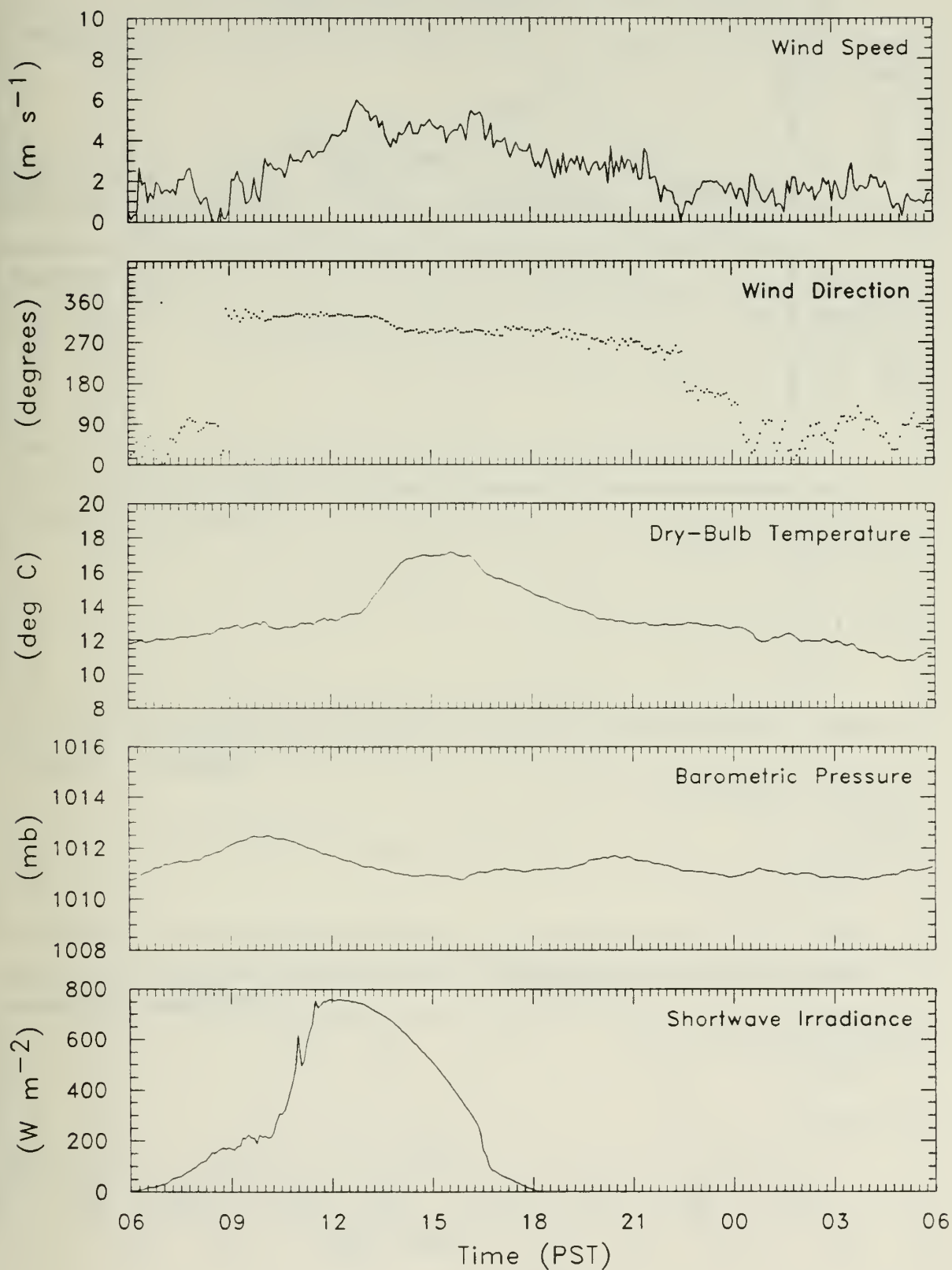
11. TIME SERIES, MONTEREY BAY AQUARIUM

This section presents graphs of data collected routinely by the Monterey Bay Aquarium (Fig. 1). The sensors used are identical to those employed at the Moss Landing Marine Laboratories.

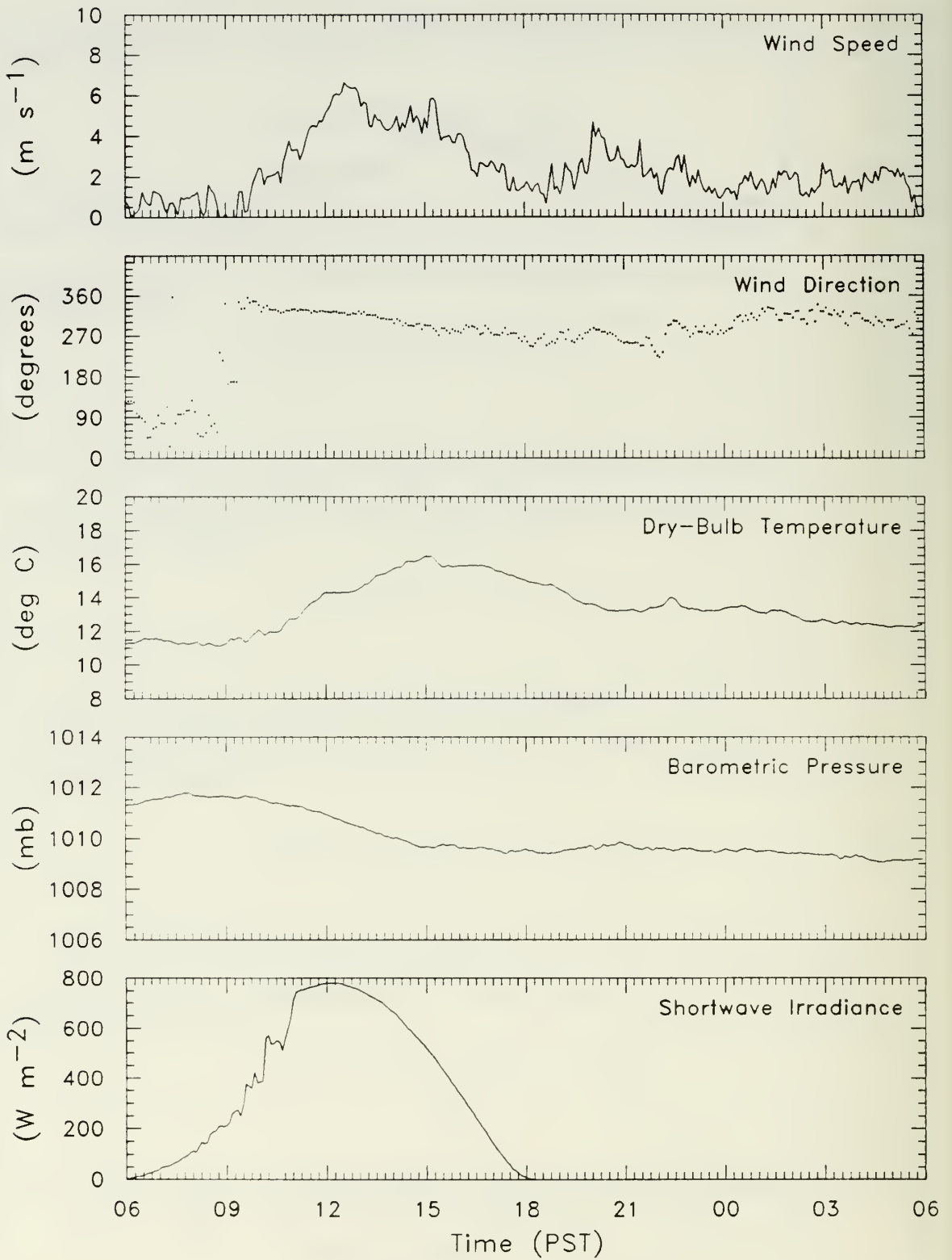
Monterey Bay Aquarium - 18 Sept 1987



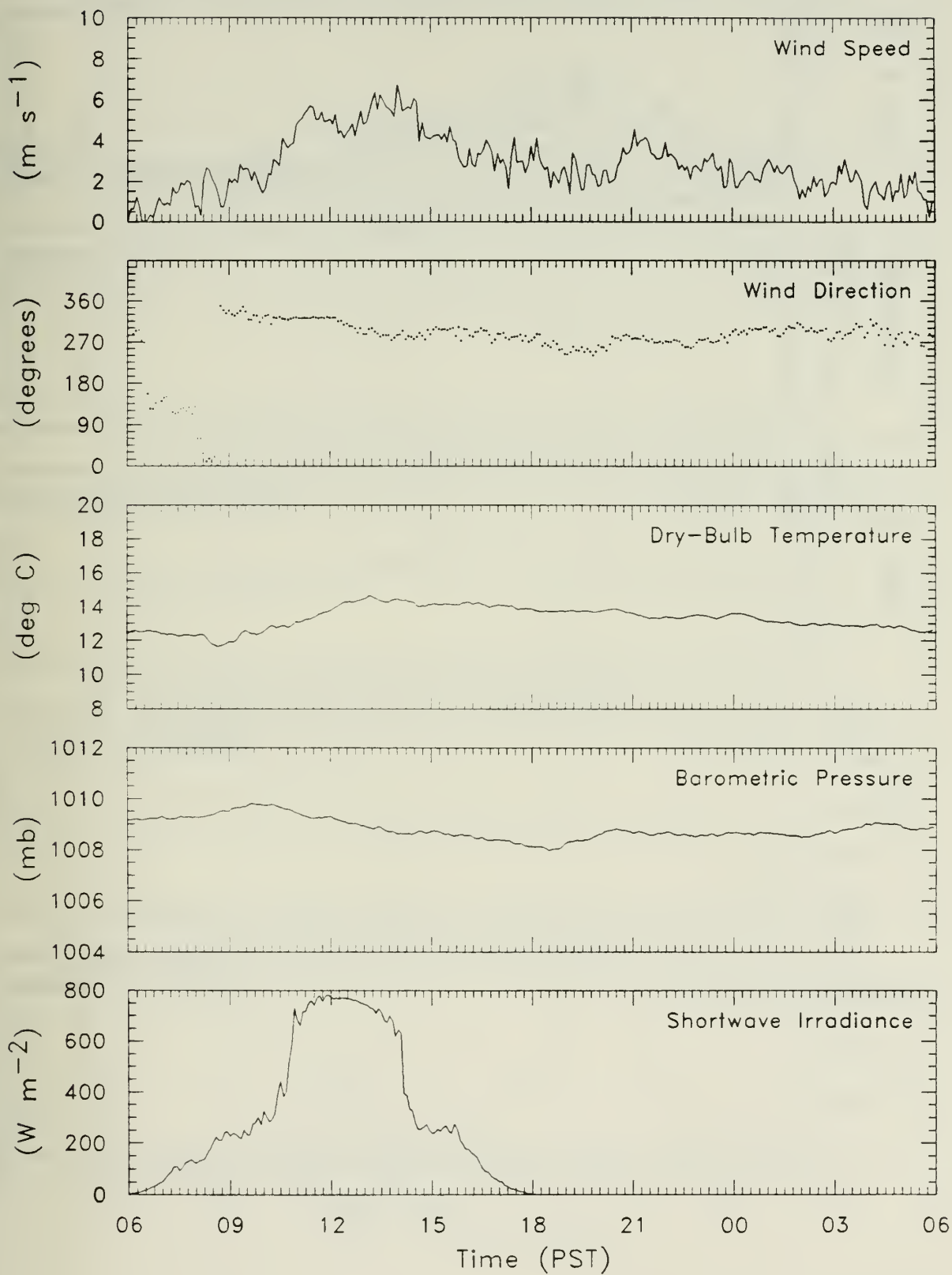
Monterey Bay Aquarium - 19 Sept 1987



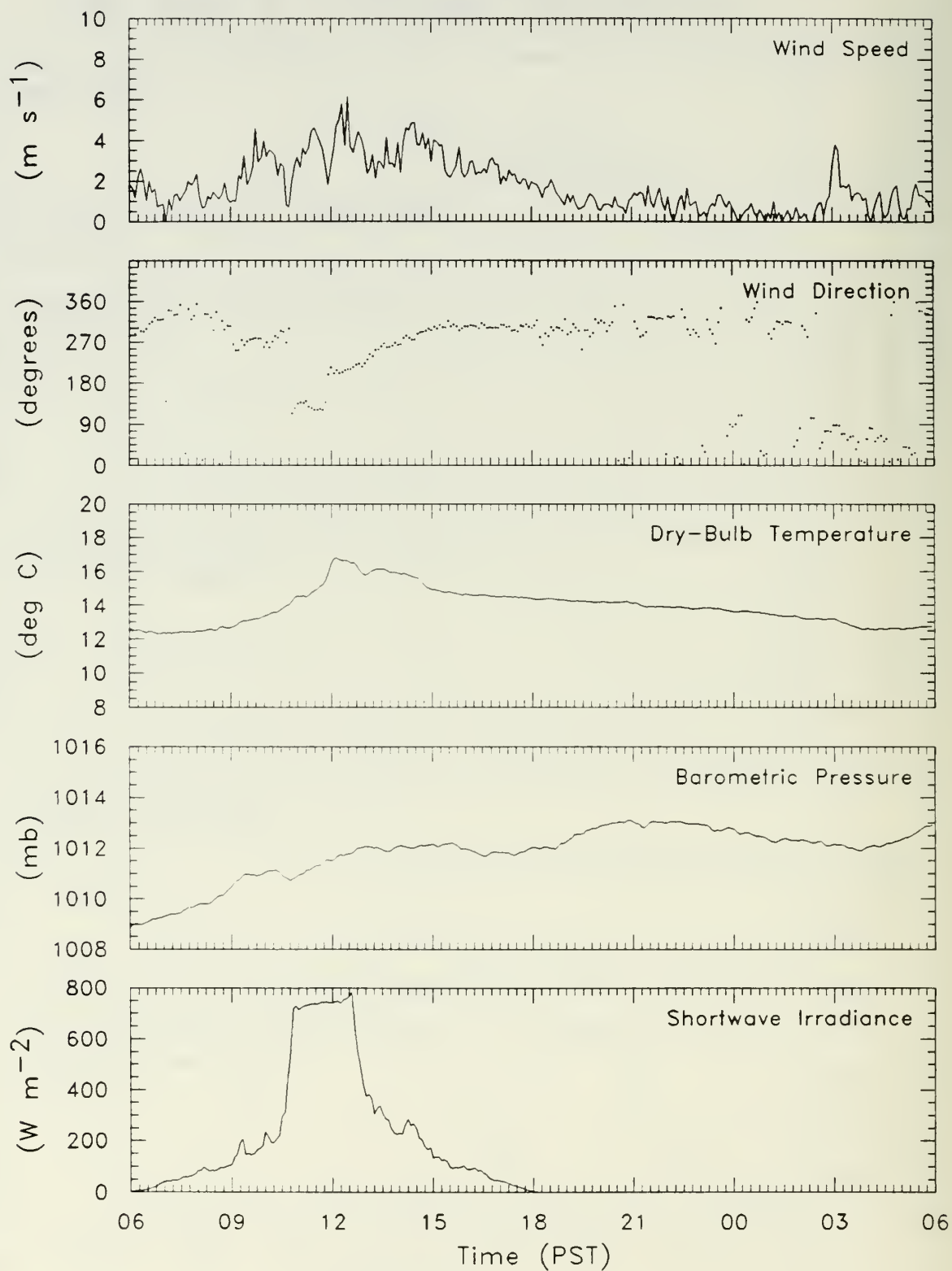
Monterey Bay Aquarium - 20 Sept 1987



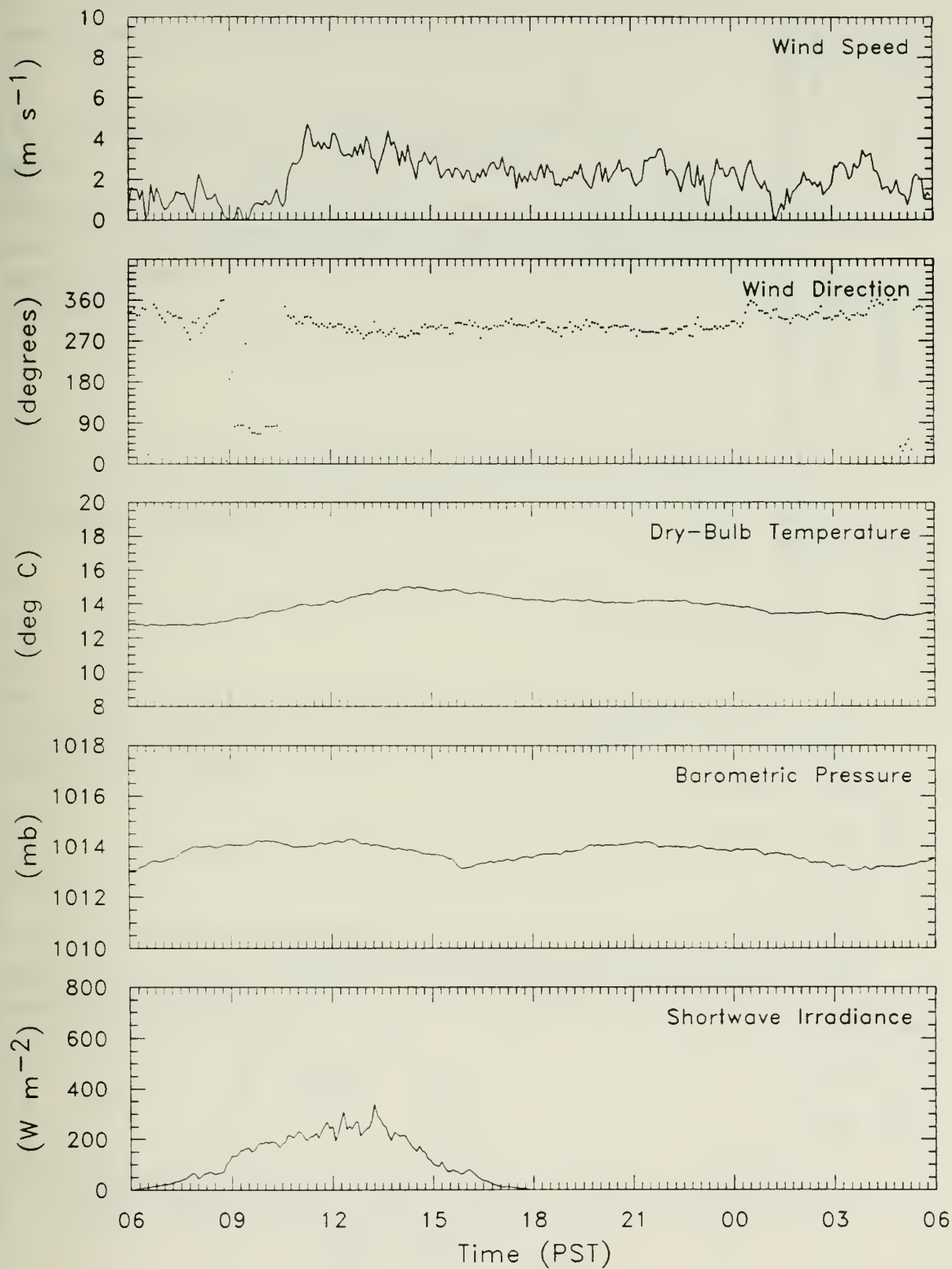
Monterey Bay Aquarium - 21 Sept 1987



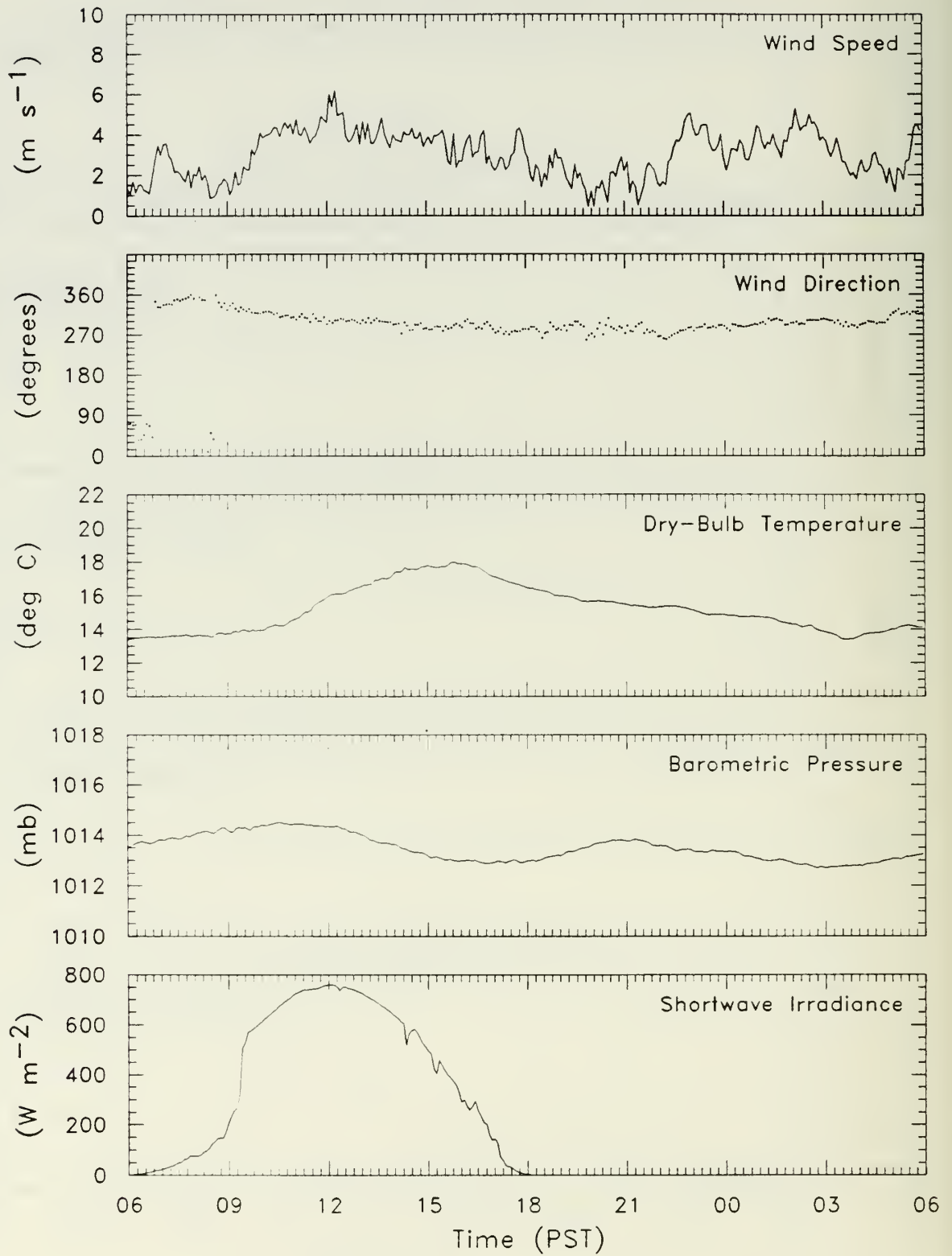
Monterey Bay Aquarium - 22 Sept 1987



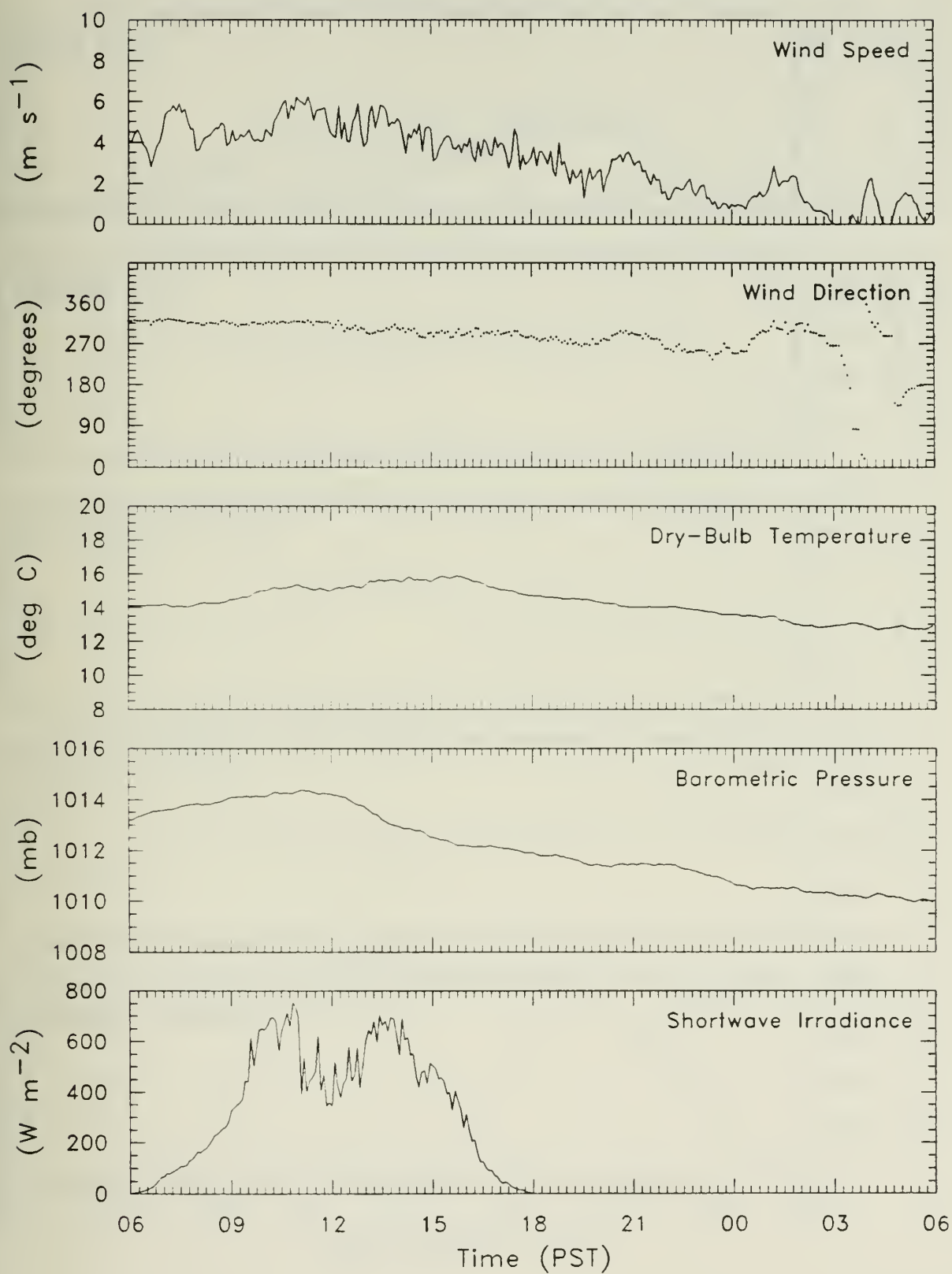
Monterey Bay Aquarium - 23 Sept 1987



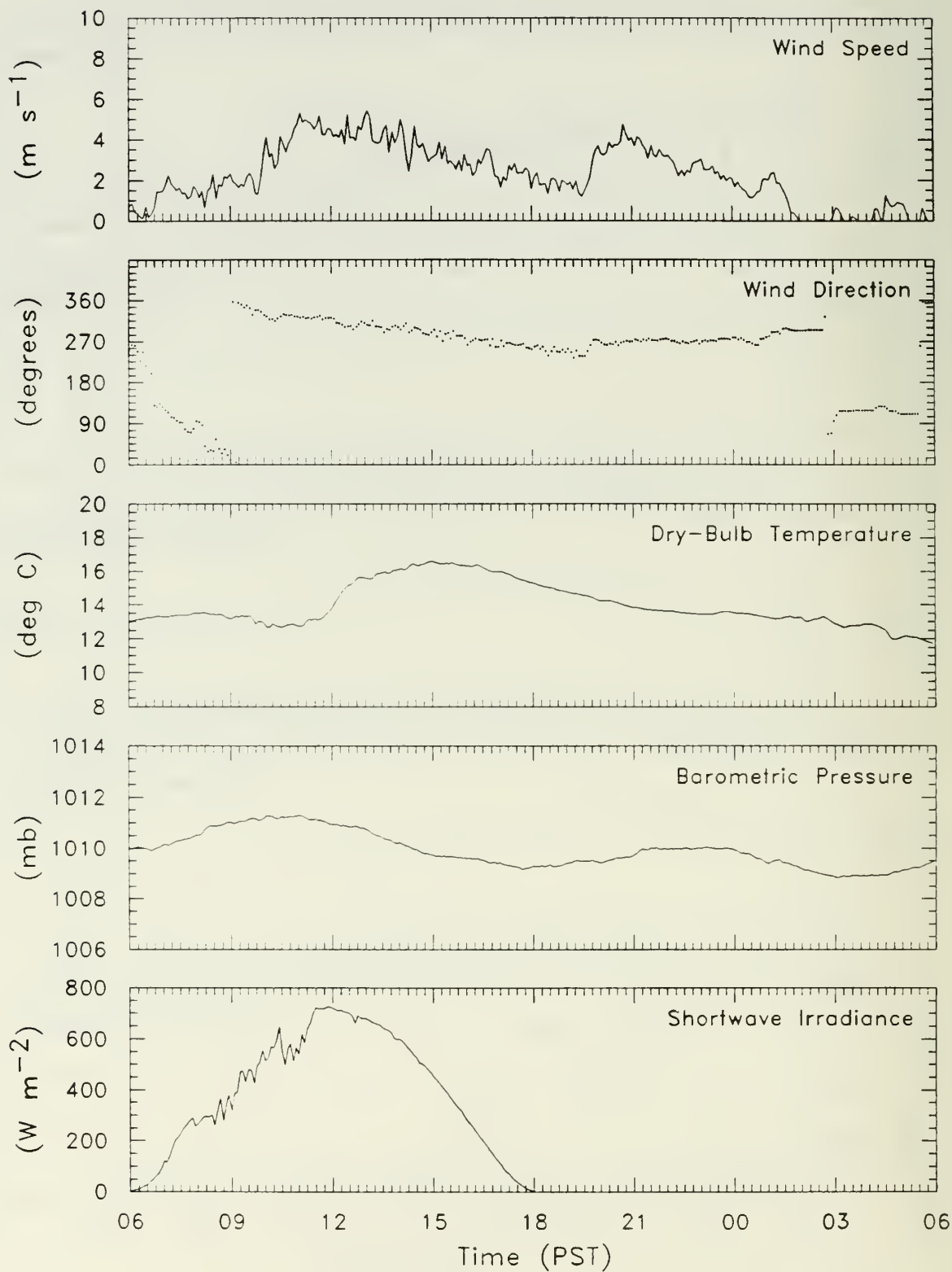
Monterey Bay Aquarium - 24 Sept 1987



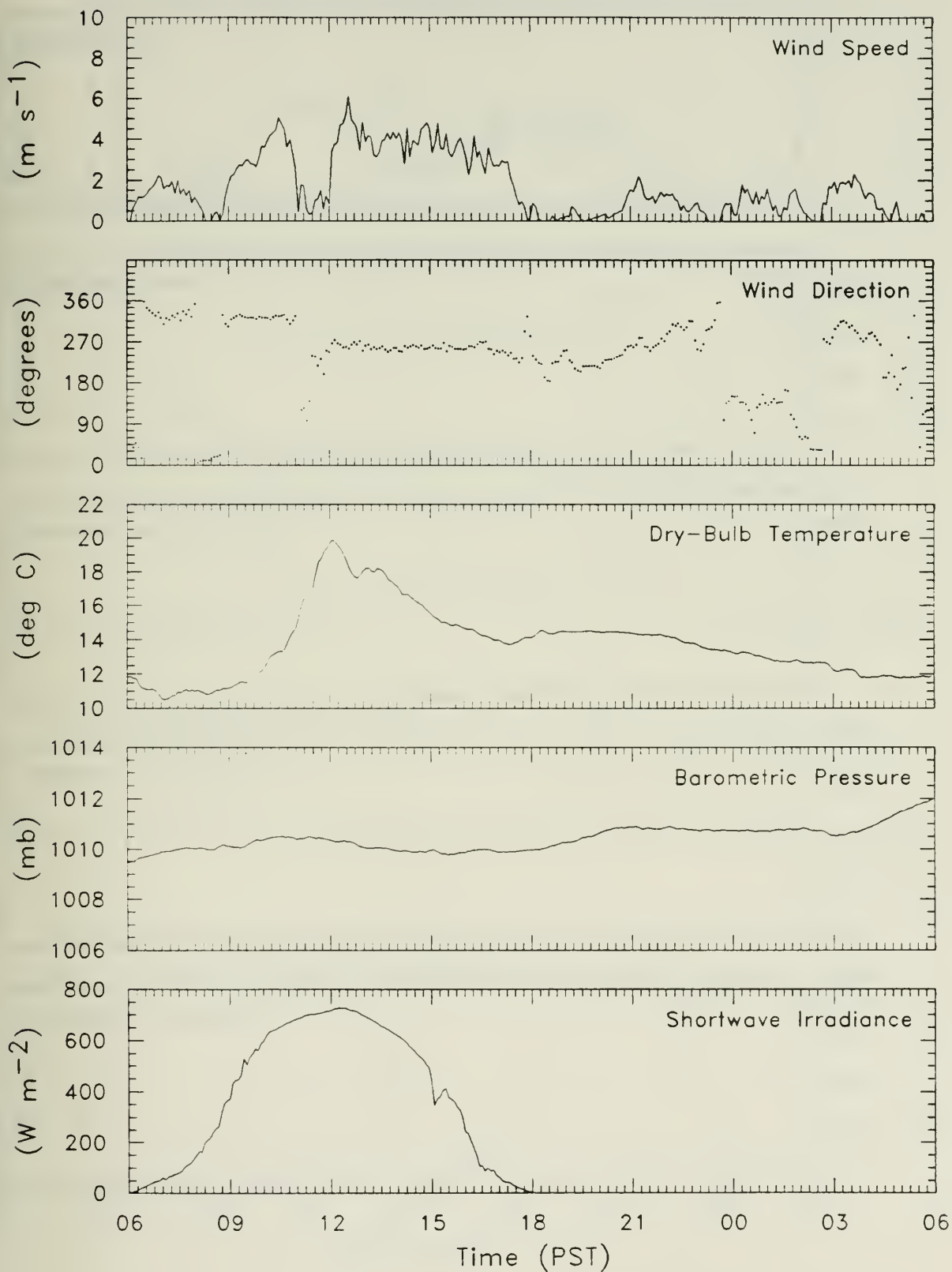
Monterey Bay Aquarium - 25 Sept 1987



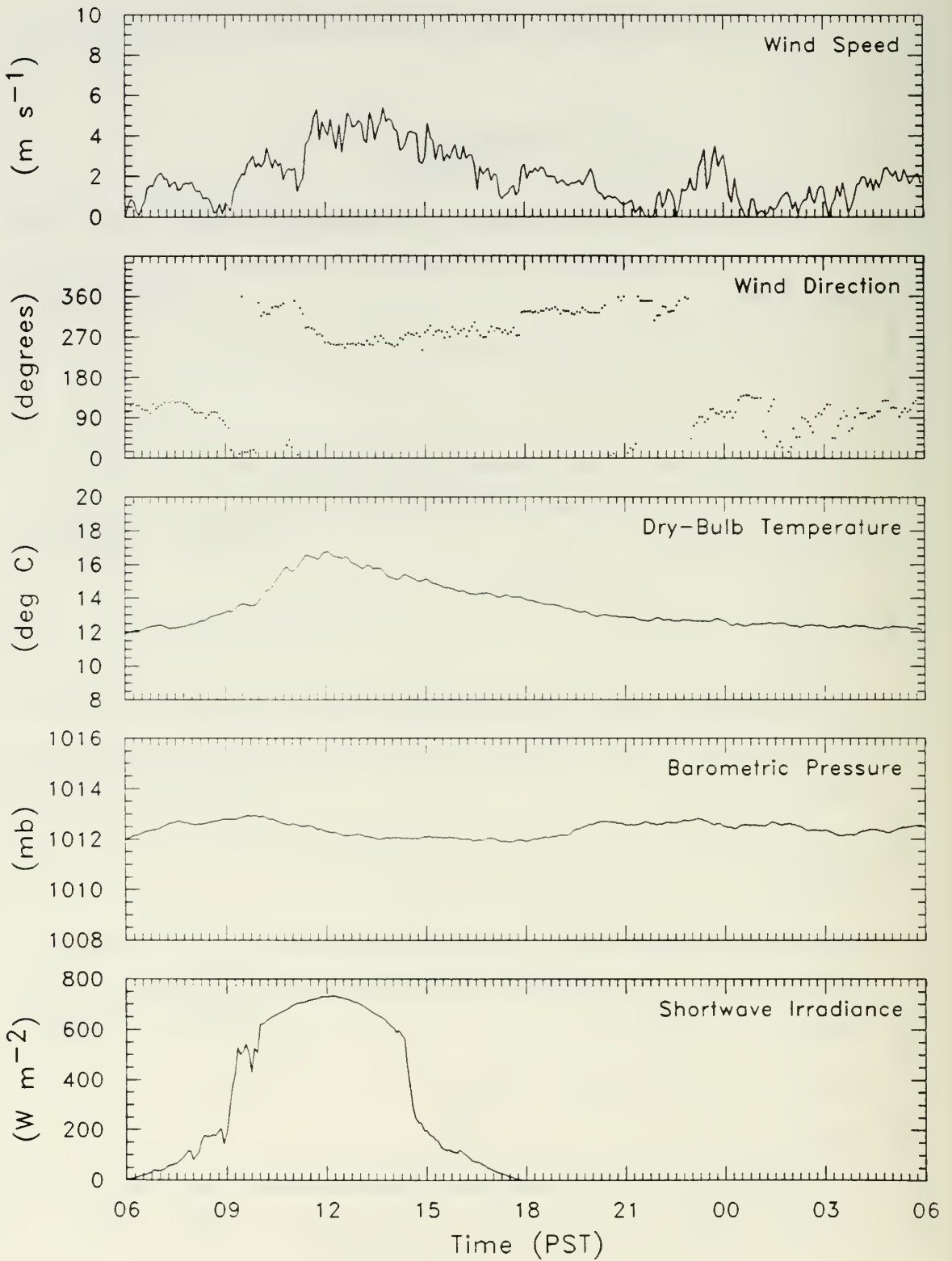
Monterey Bay Aquarium - 26 Sept 1987



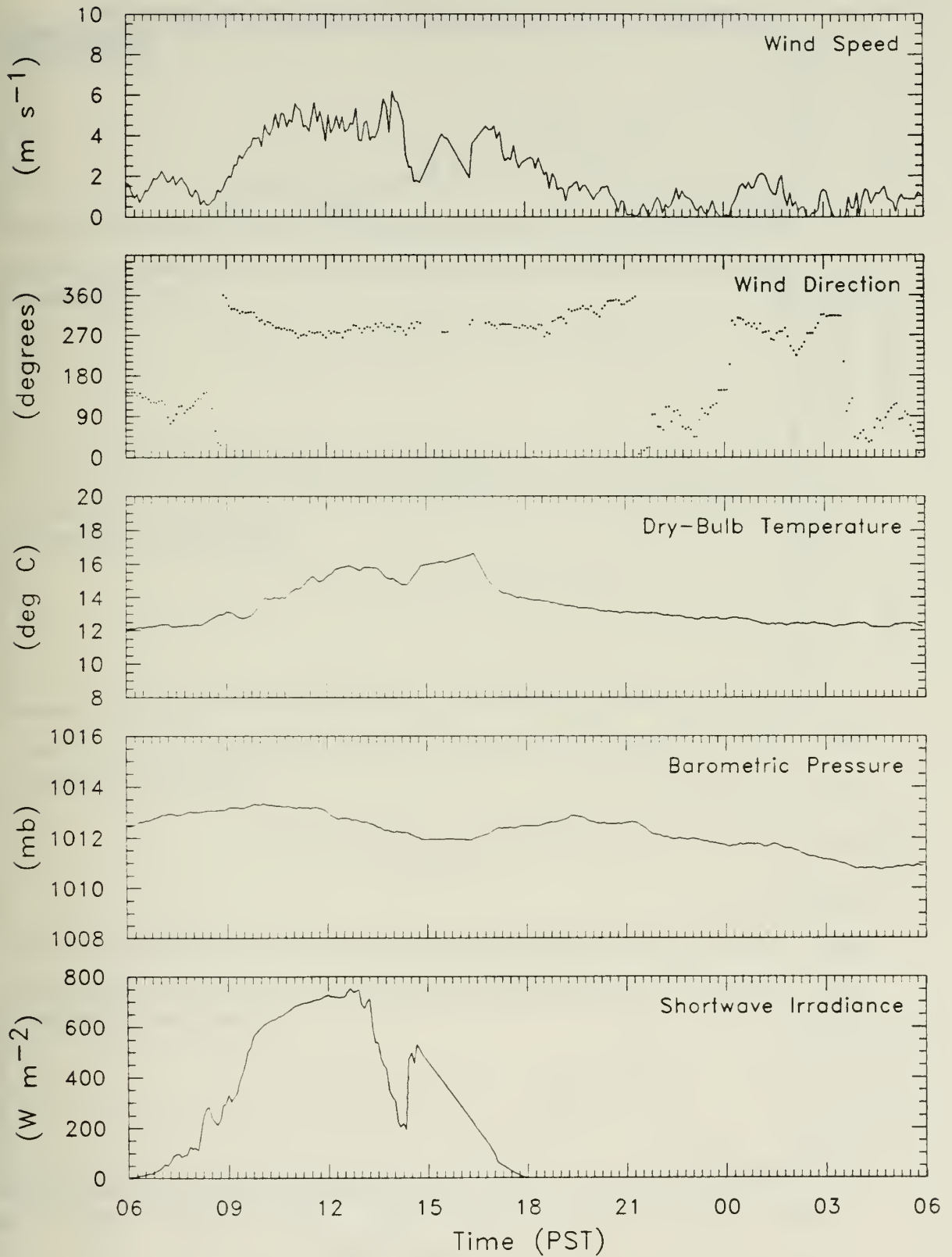
Monterey Bay Aquarium - 27 Sept 1987



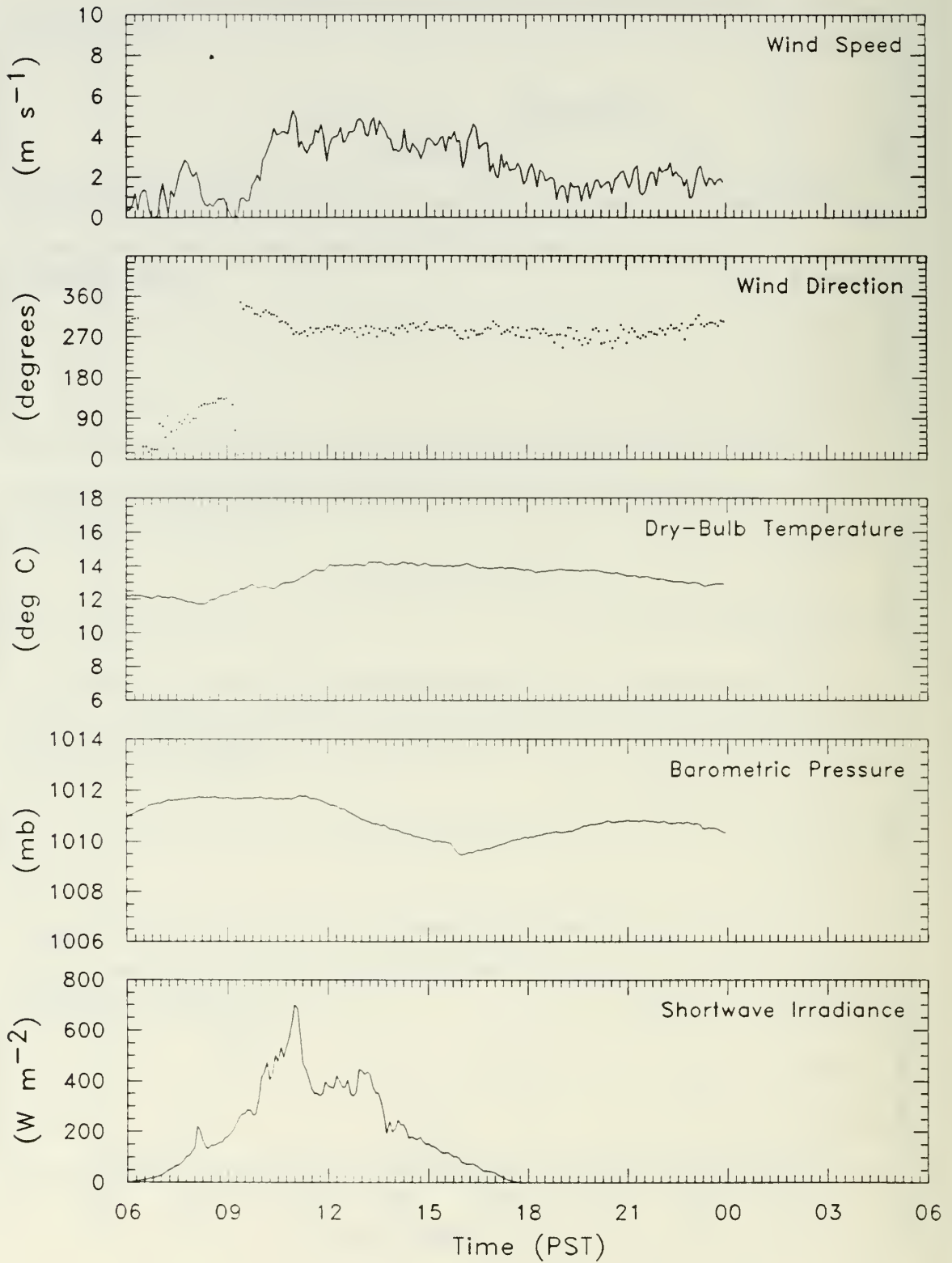
Monterey Bay Aquarium - 28 Sept 1987



Monterey Bay Aquarium - 29 Sept 1987



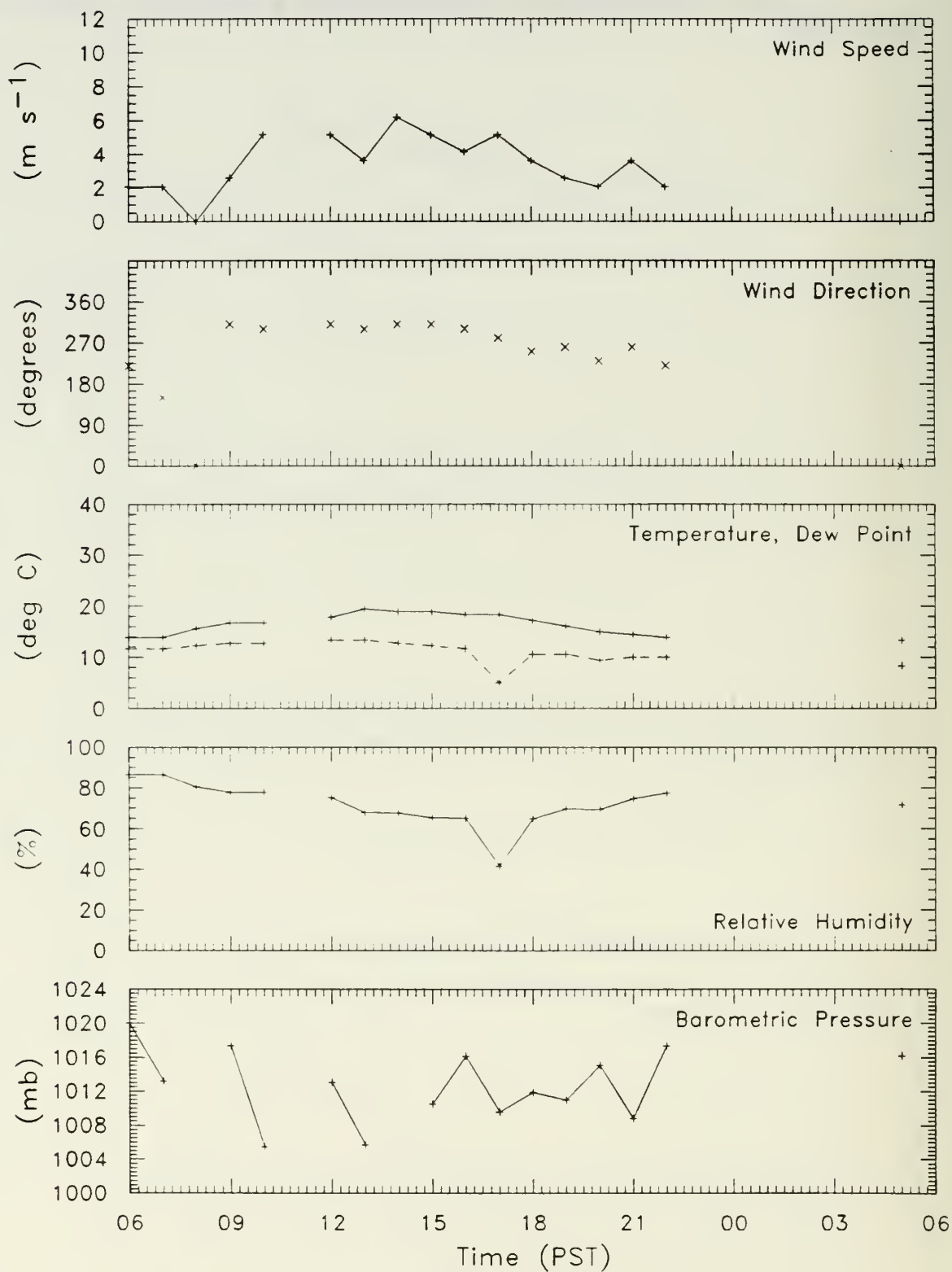
Monterey Bay Aquarium - 30 Sept 1987



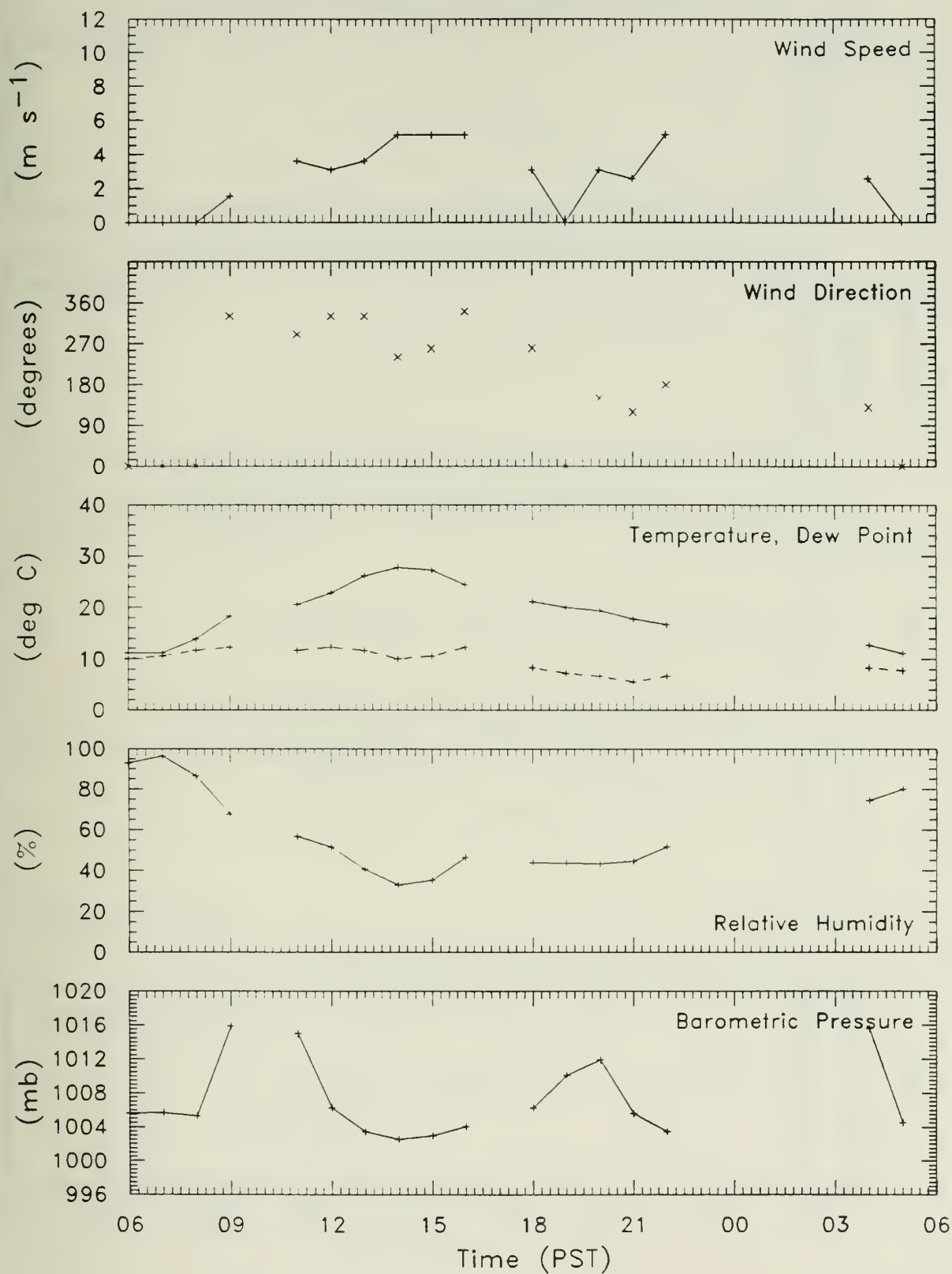
12. TIME SERIES, MONTEREY AIRPORT

This section presents graphs of all data recorded hourly at the Monterey Airport (Fig. 1) during LASBEX.

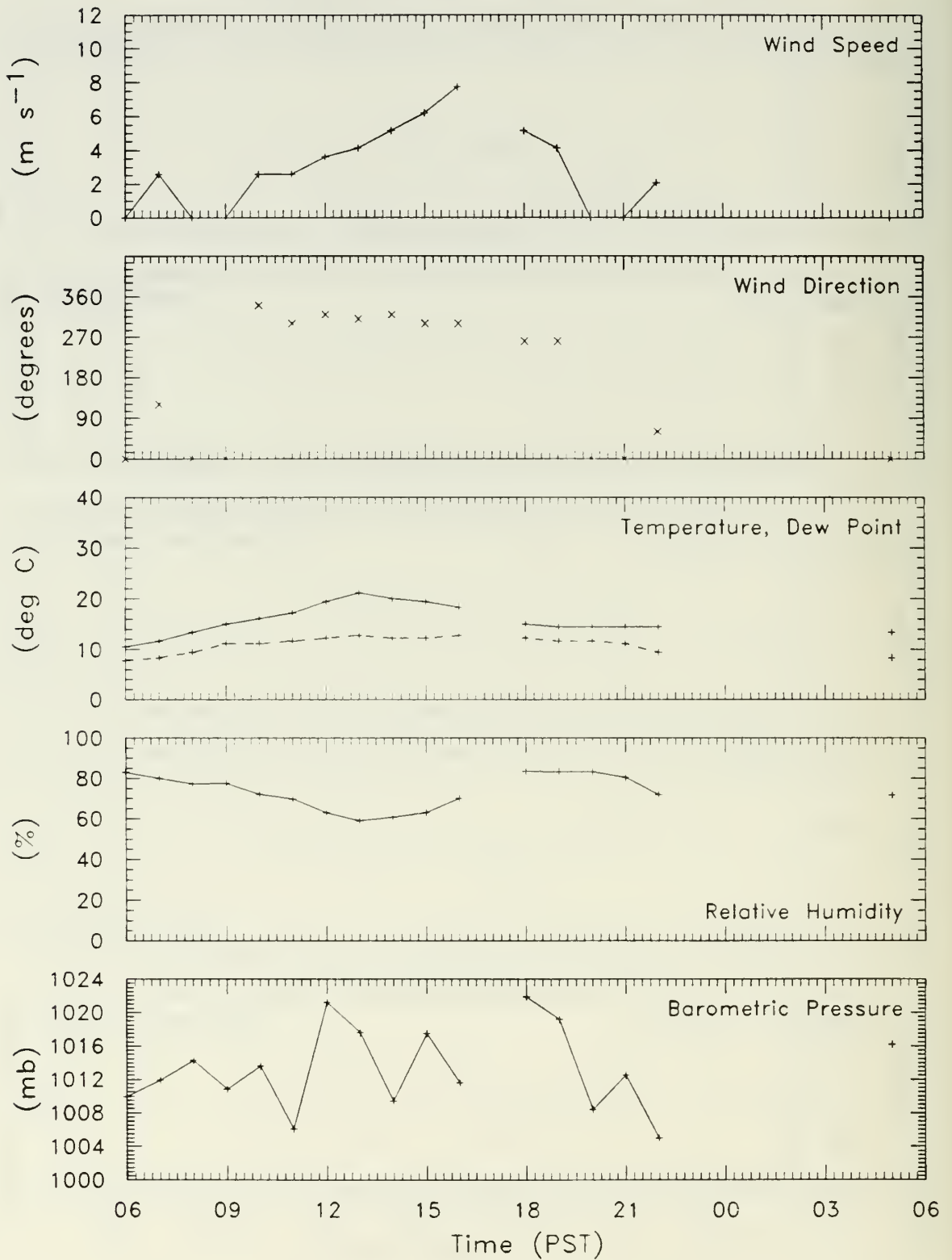
Monterey Peninsula Airport - 15 Sept 1987



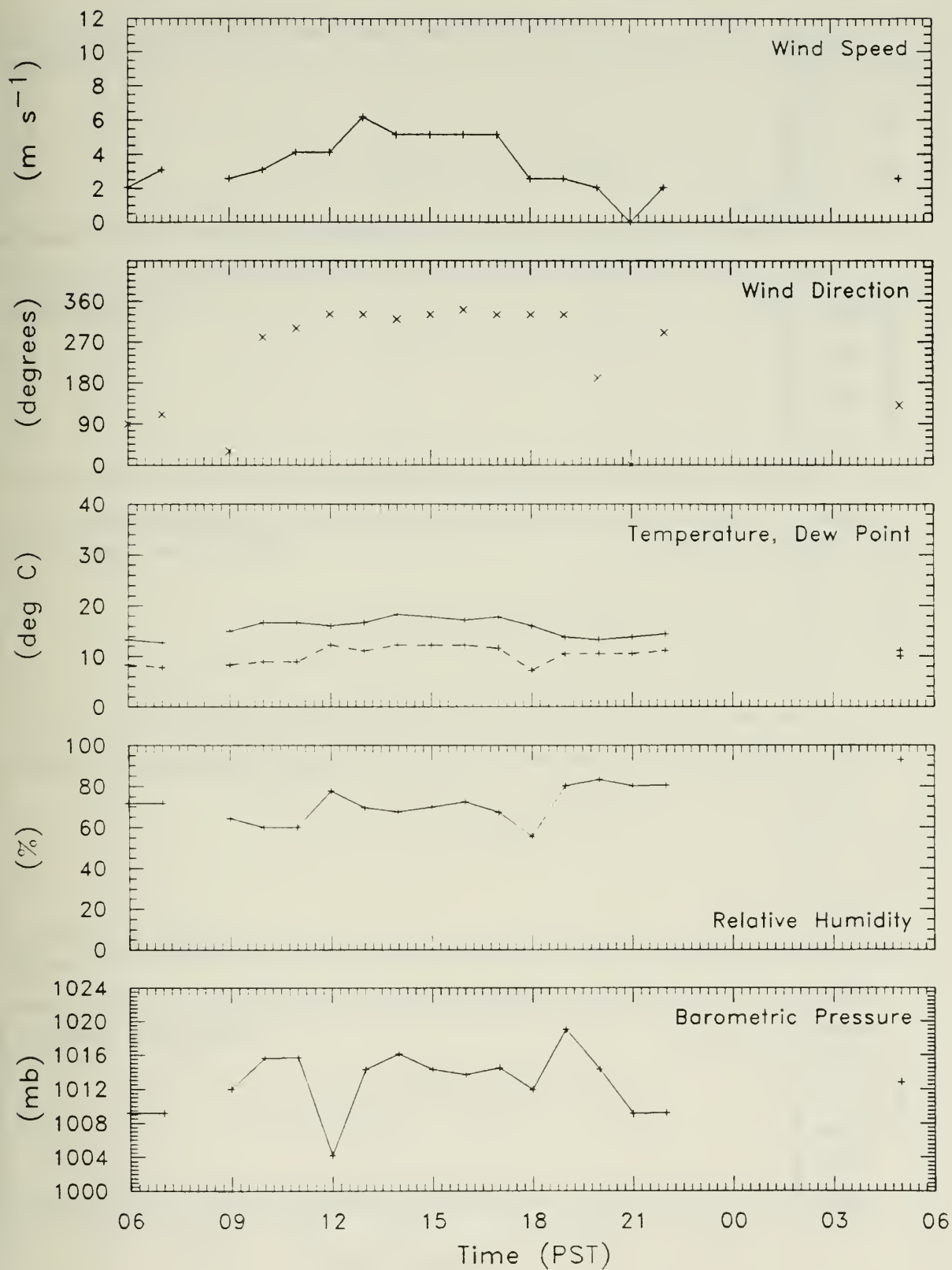
Monterey Peninsula Airport - 16 Sept 1987



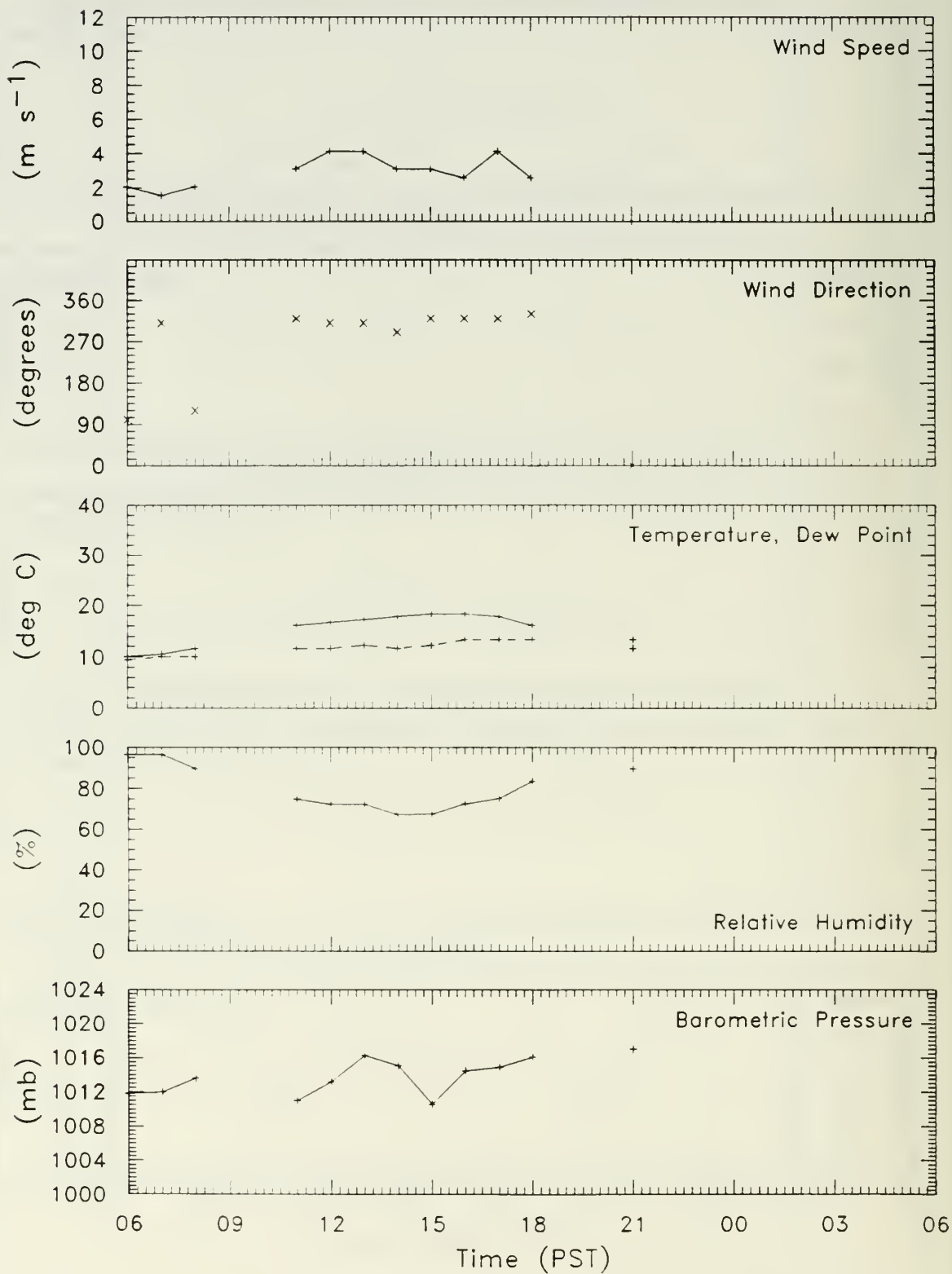
Monterey Peninsula Airport - 17 Sept 1987



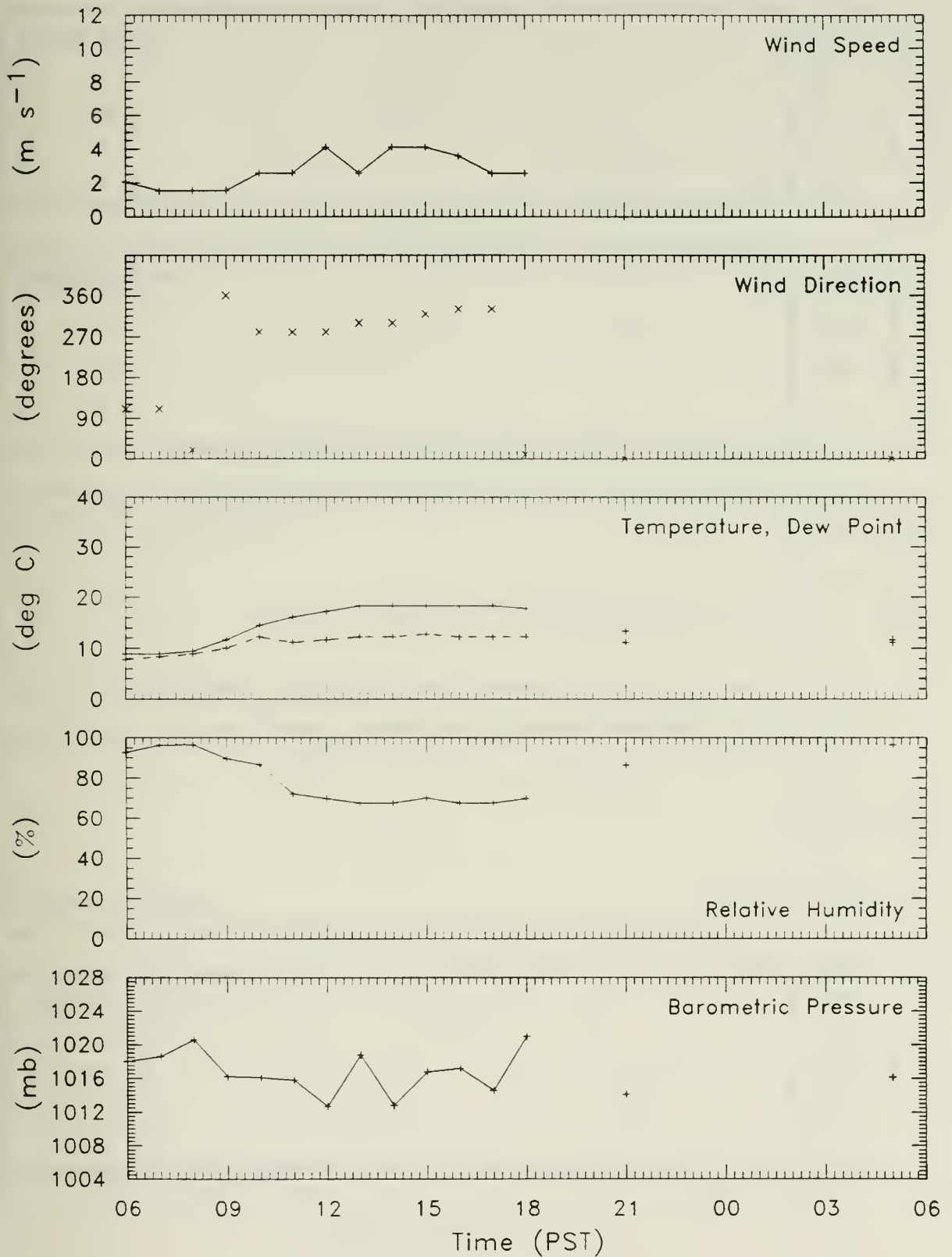
Monterey Peninsula Airport - 18 Sept 1987



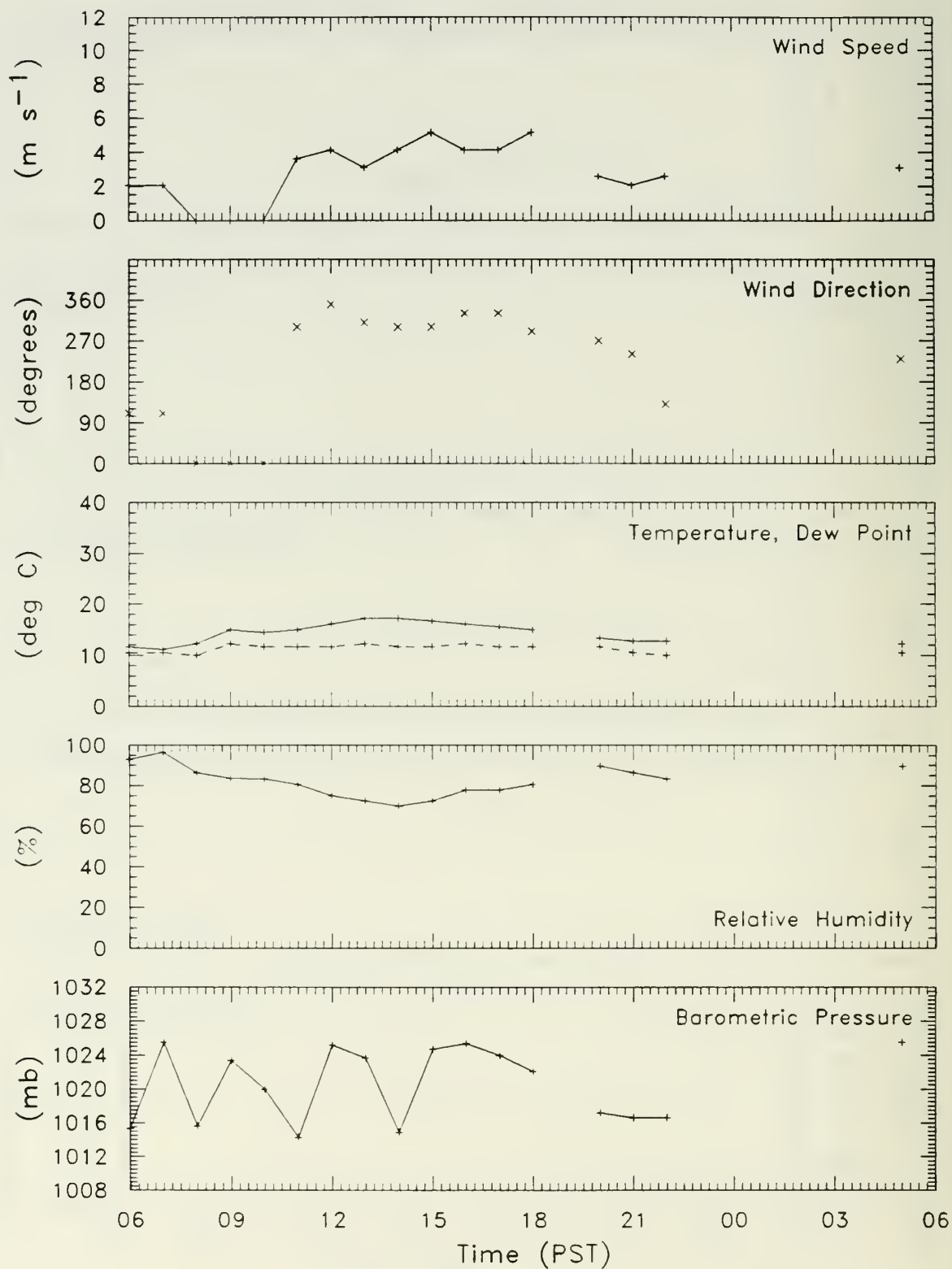
Monterey Peninsula Airport - 19 Sept 1987



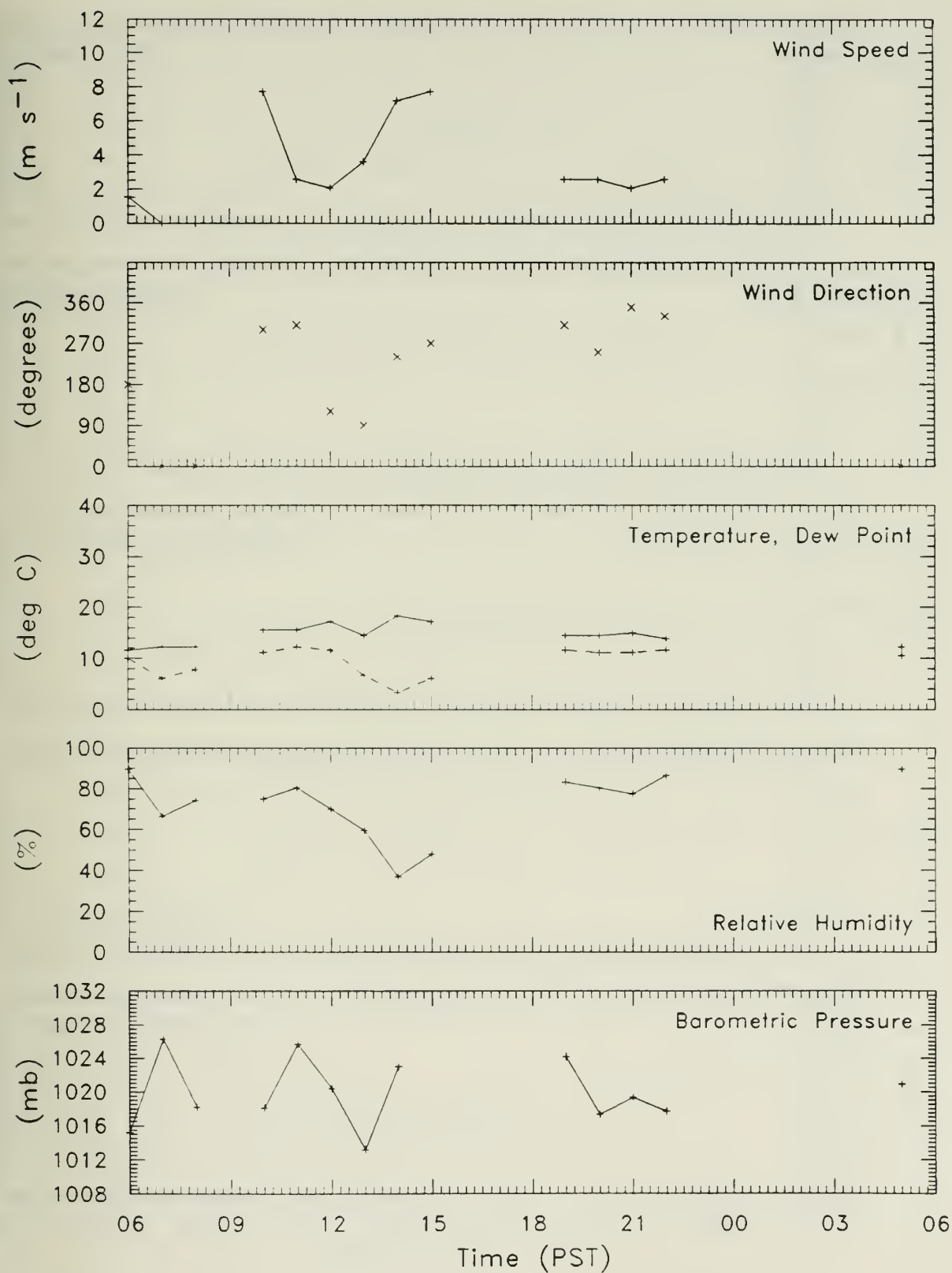
Monterey Peninsula Airport - 20 Sept 1987



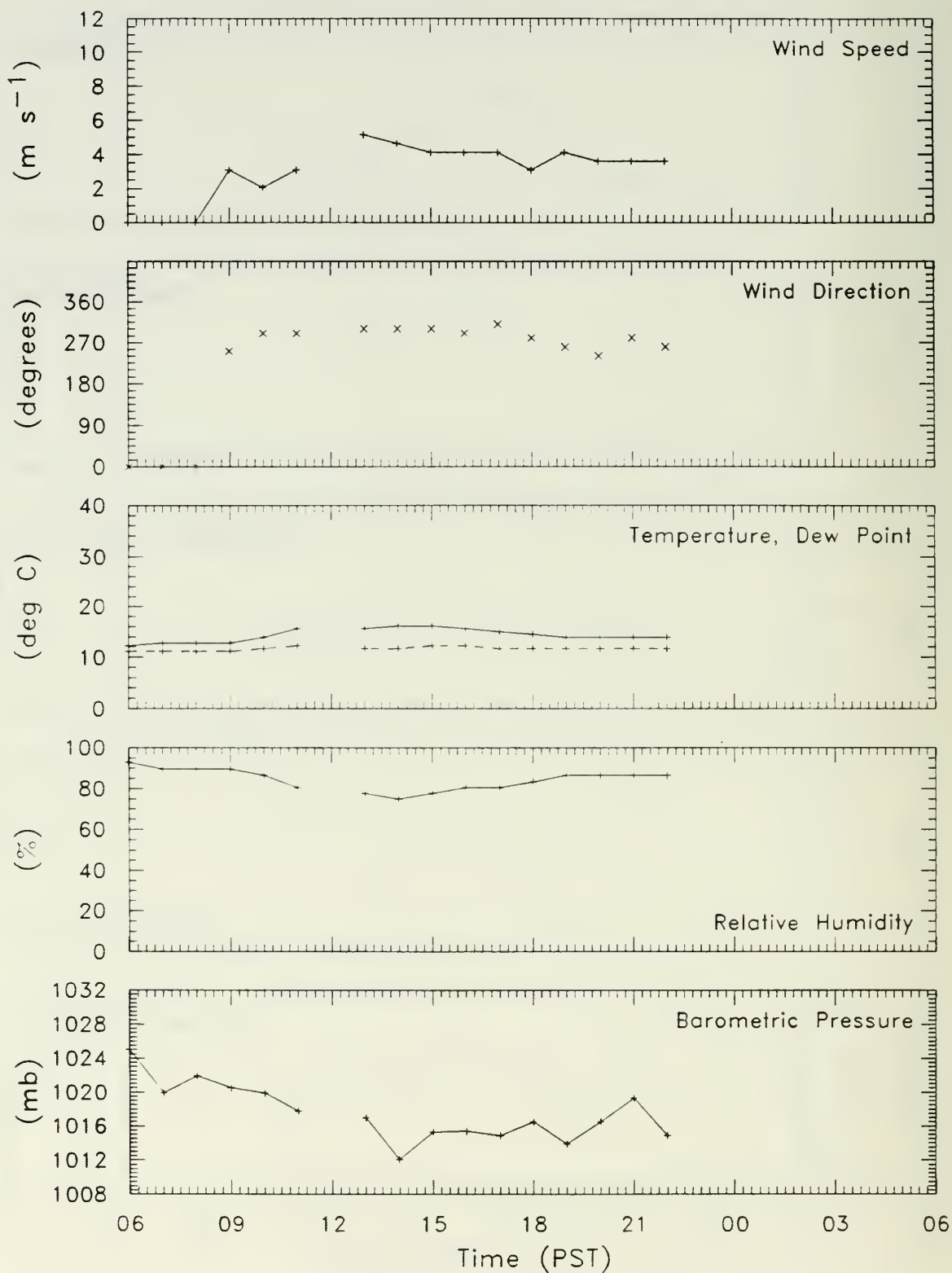
Monterey Peninsula Airport - 21 Sept 1987



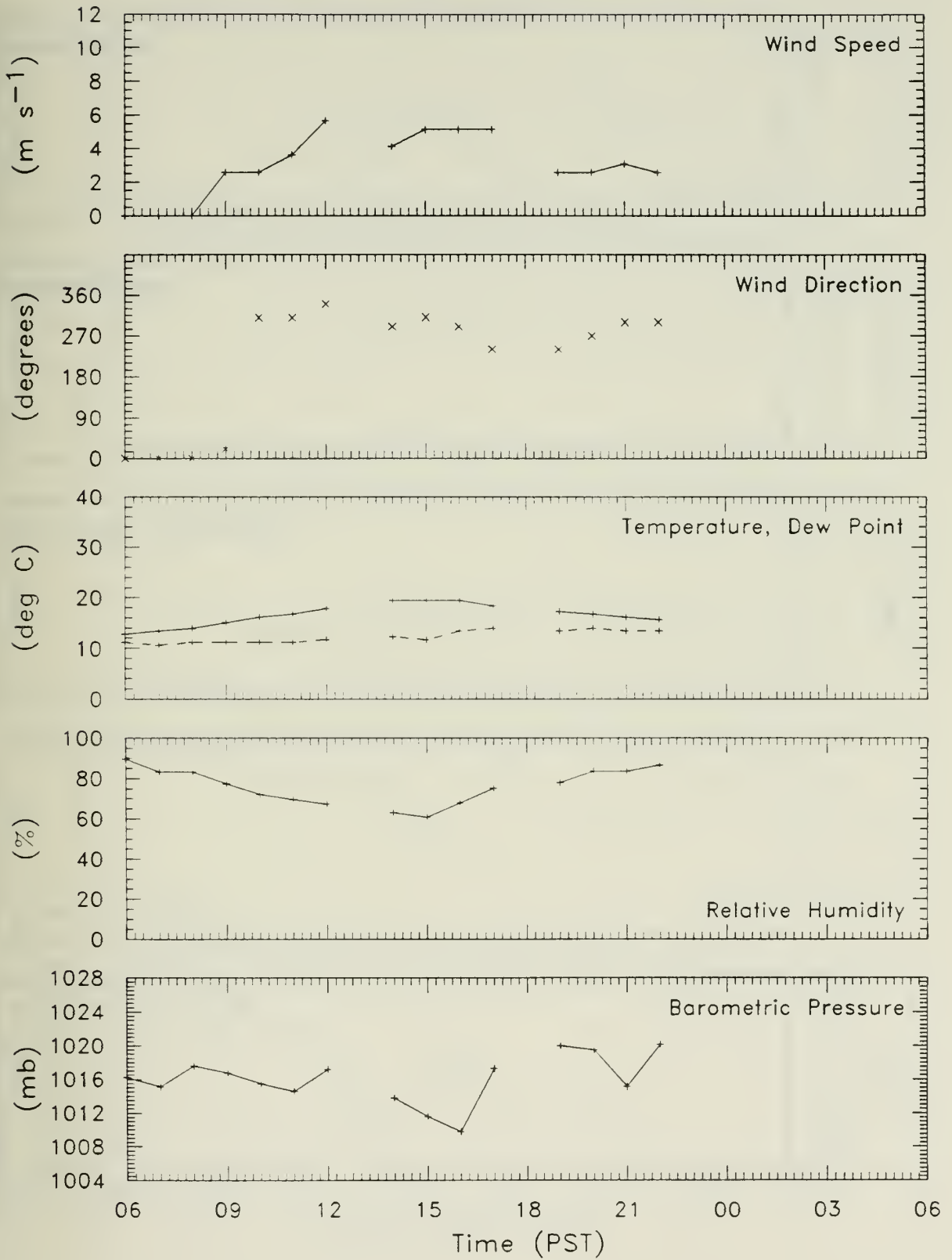
Monterey Peninsula Airport - 22 Sept 1987



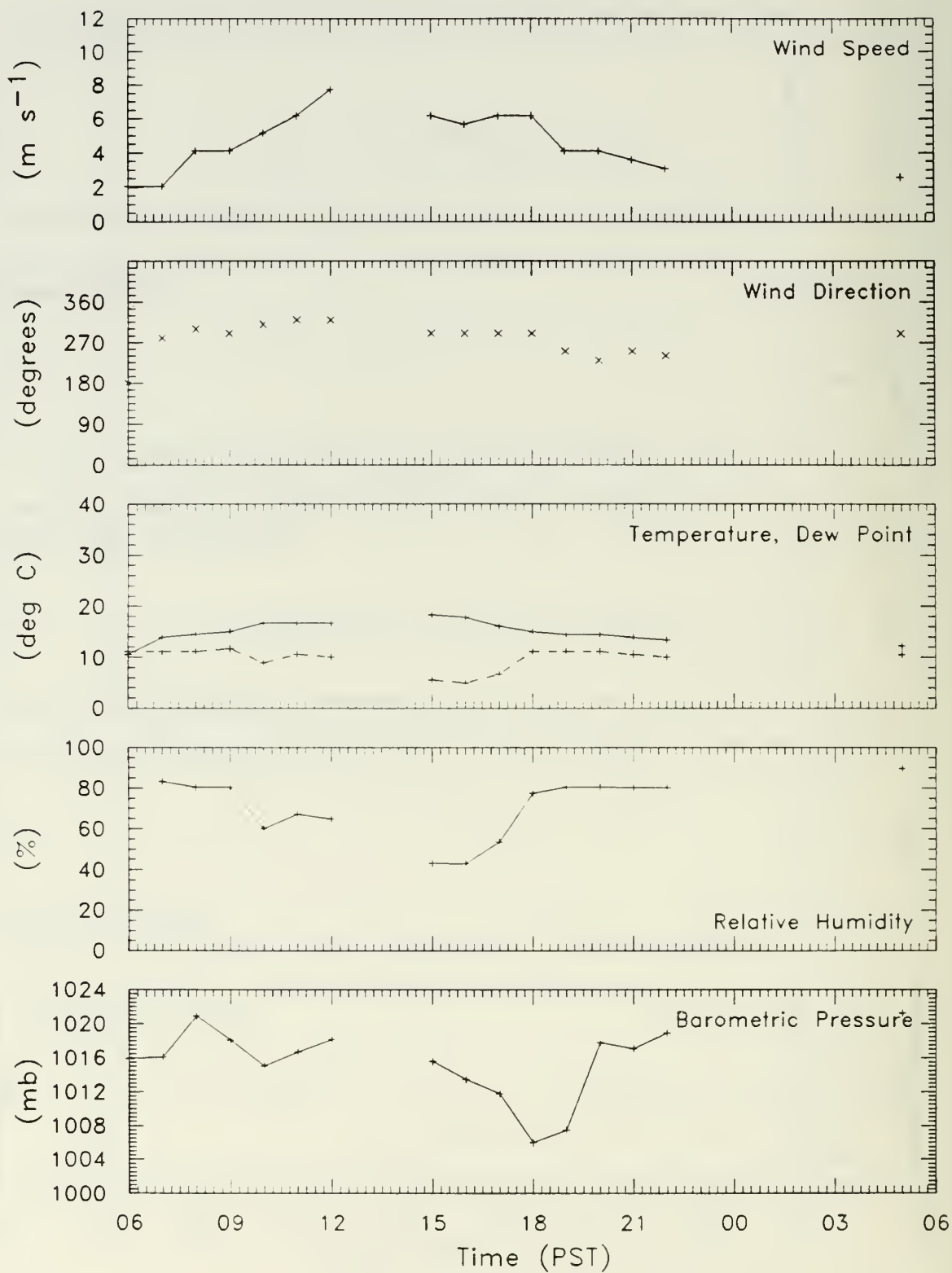
Monterey Peninsula Airport - 23 Sept 1987



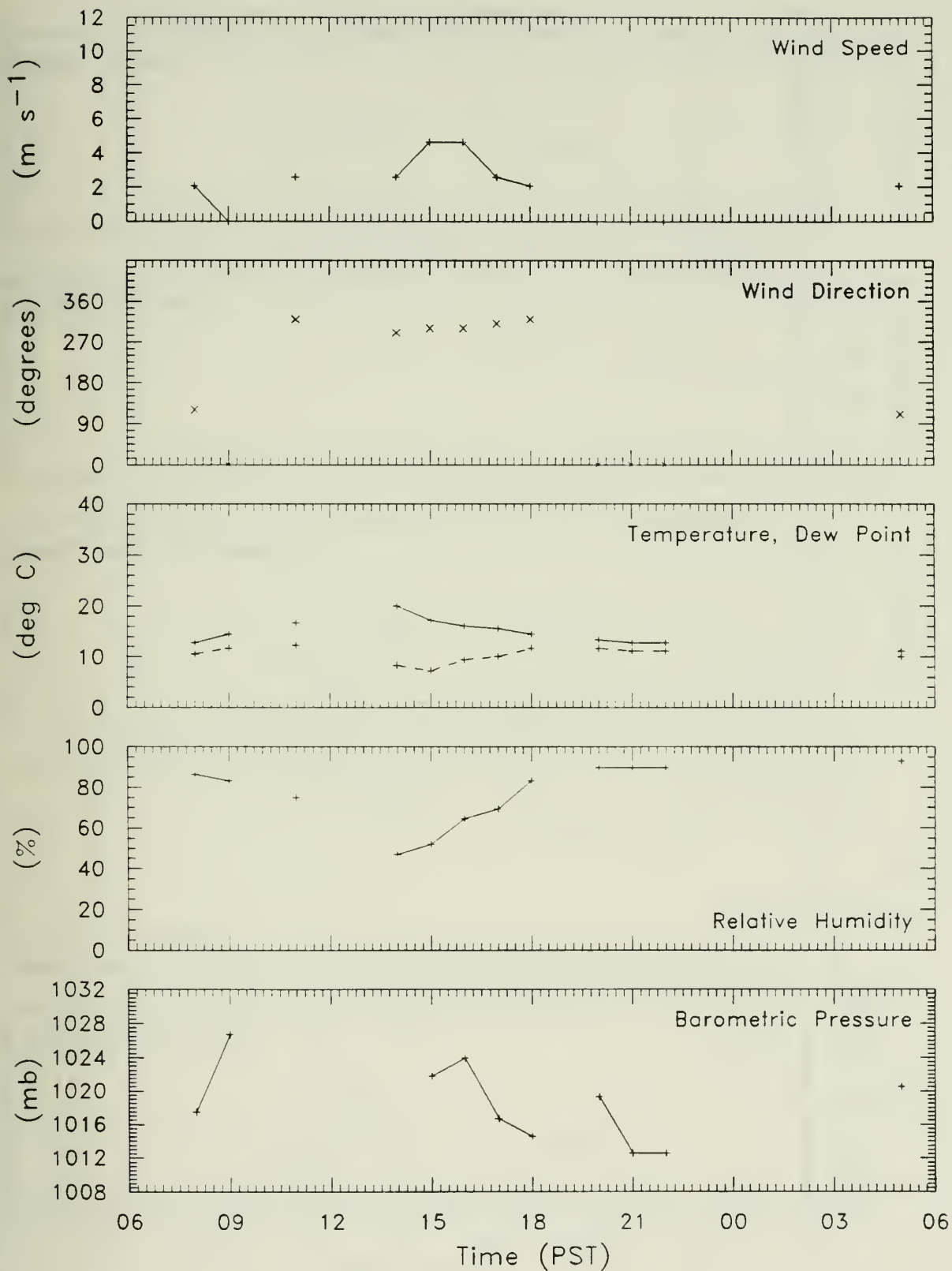
Monterey Peninsula Airport - 24 Sept 1987



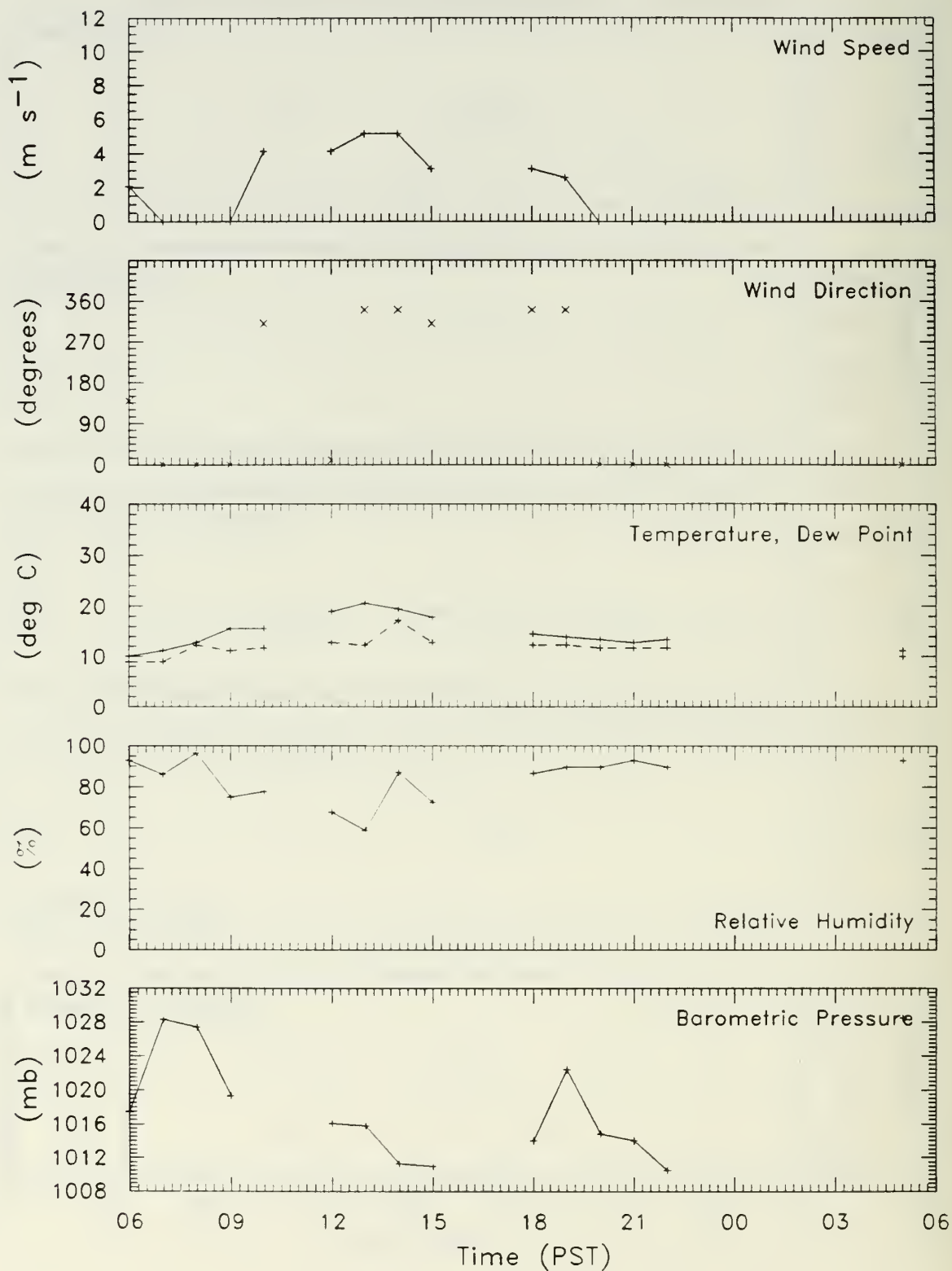
Monterey Peninsula Airport - 25 Sept 1987



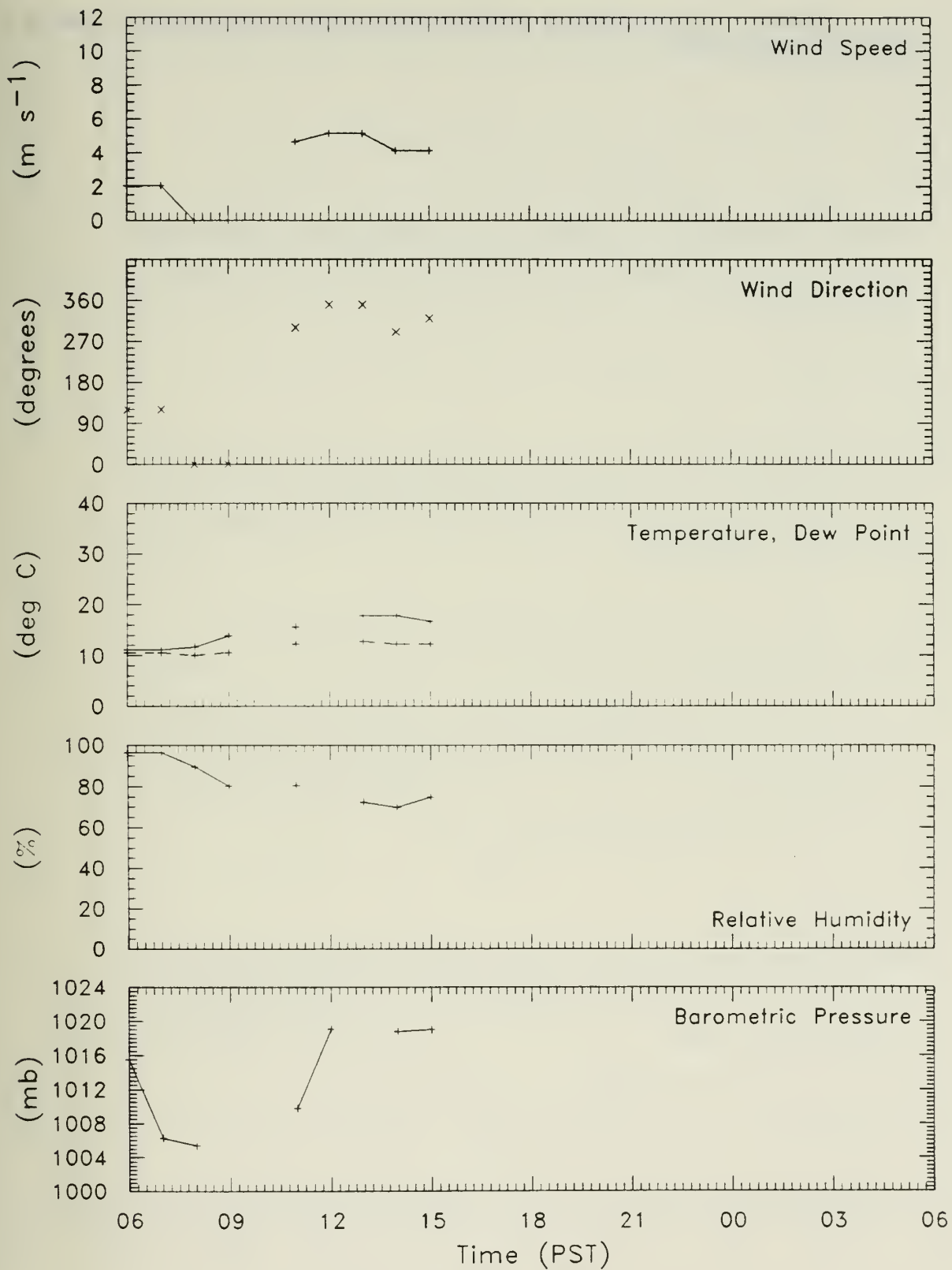
Monterey Peninsula Airport - 28 Sept 1987



Monterey Peninsula Airport - 29 Sept 1987



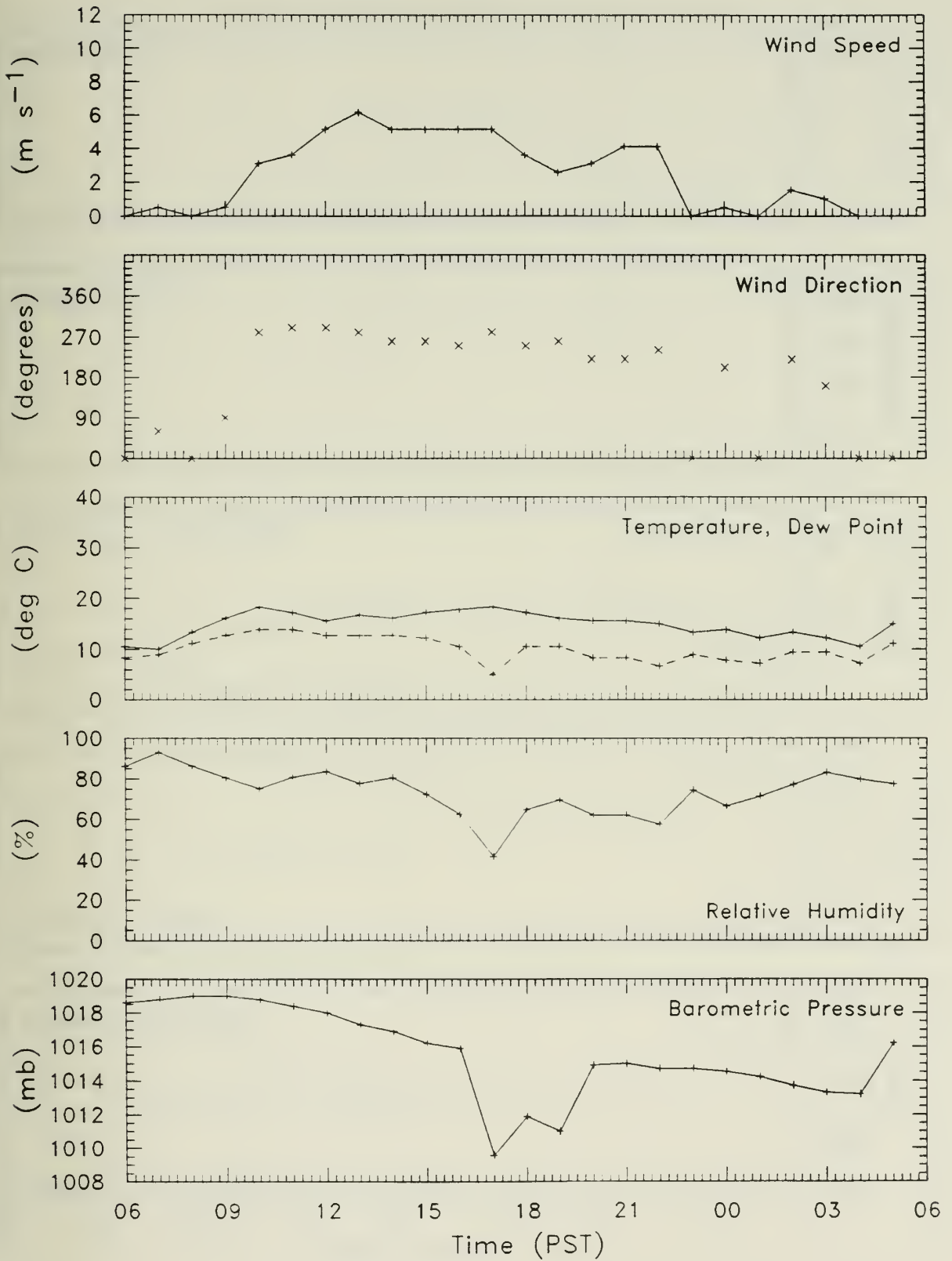
Monterey Peninsula Airport - 30 Sept 1987



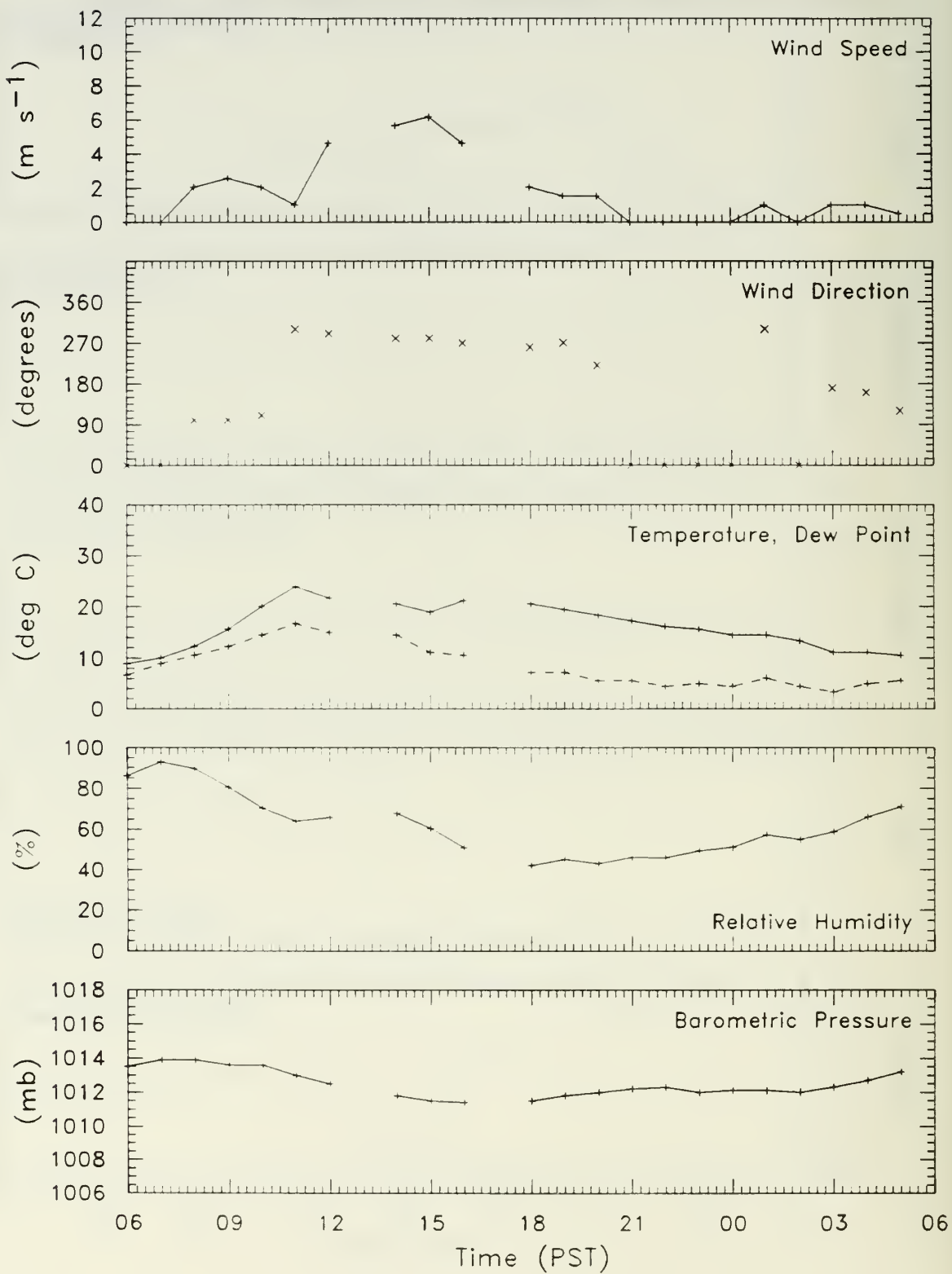
13. TIME SERIES, FRITZSCHE ARMY AIRFIELD--FT. ORD

This section presents graphs of all data recorded hourly at Fritzsche Army Airfield at Ft. Ord (Fig. 1) during LASBEX.

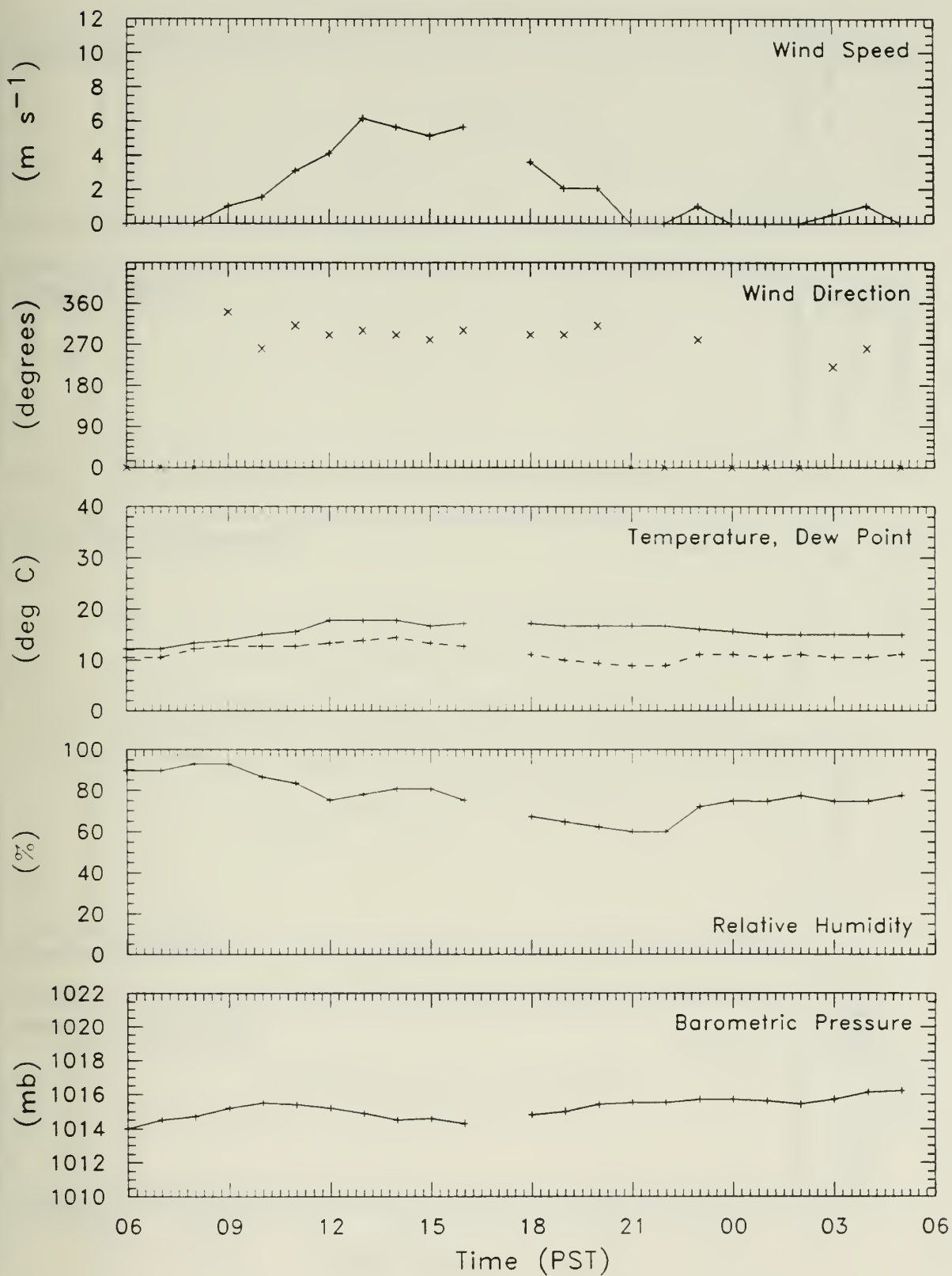
Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord) - 15 Sept 1987



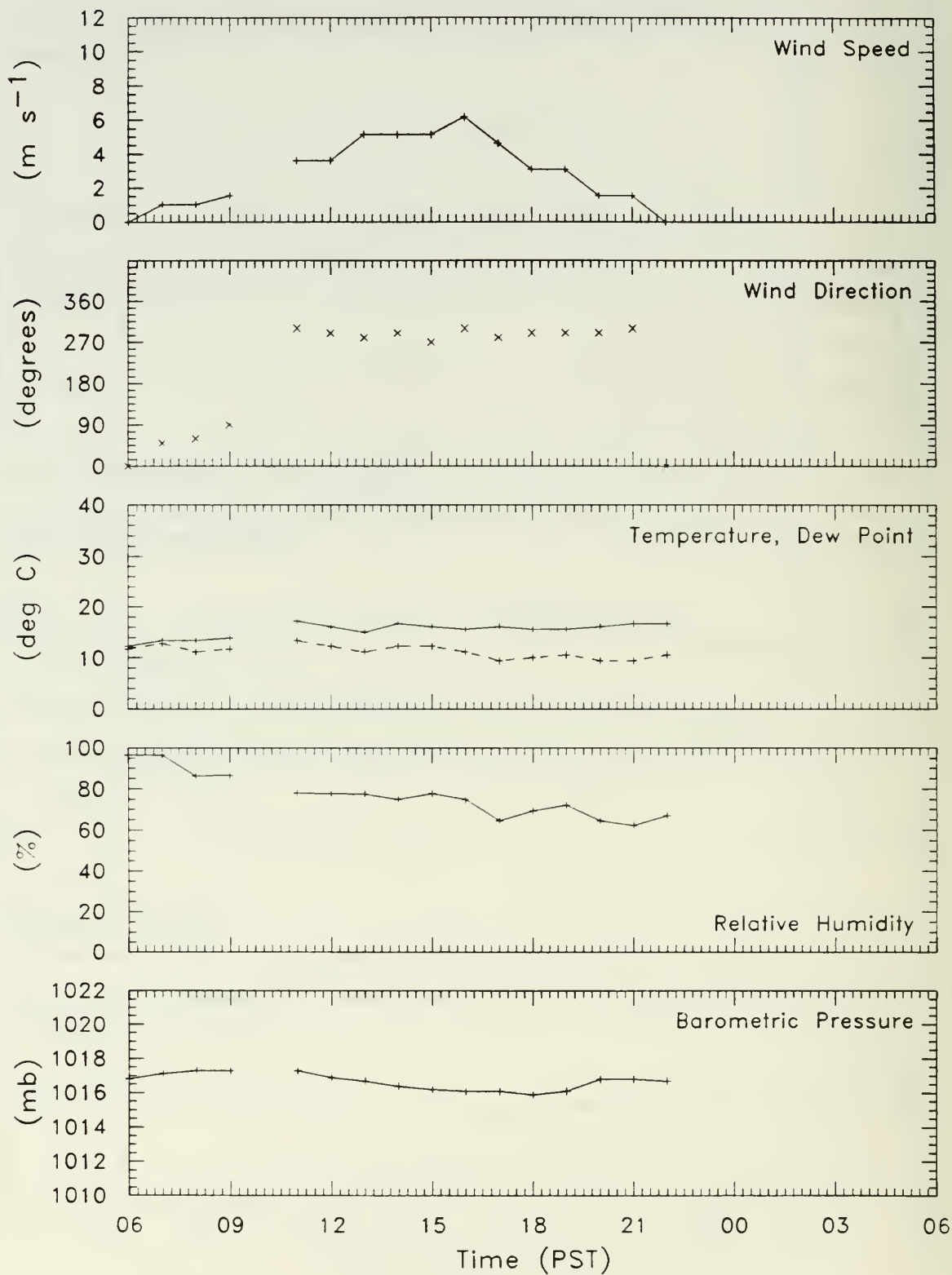
Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord) - 16 Sept 1987



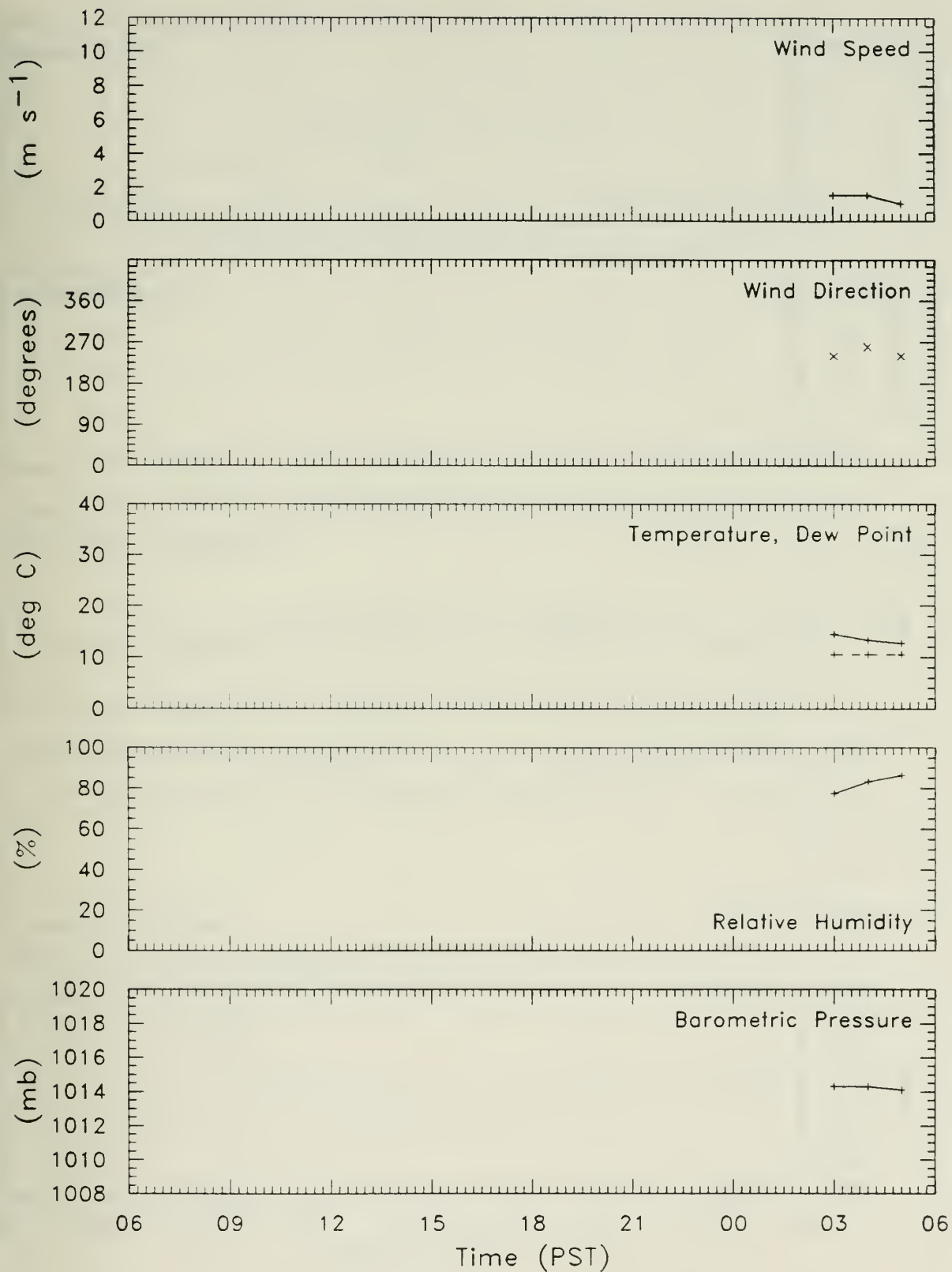
Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord) - 17 Sept 1987



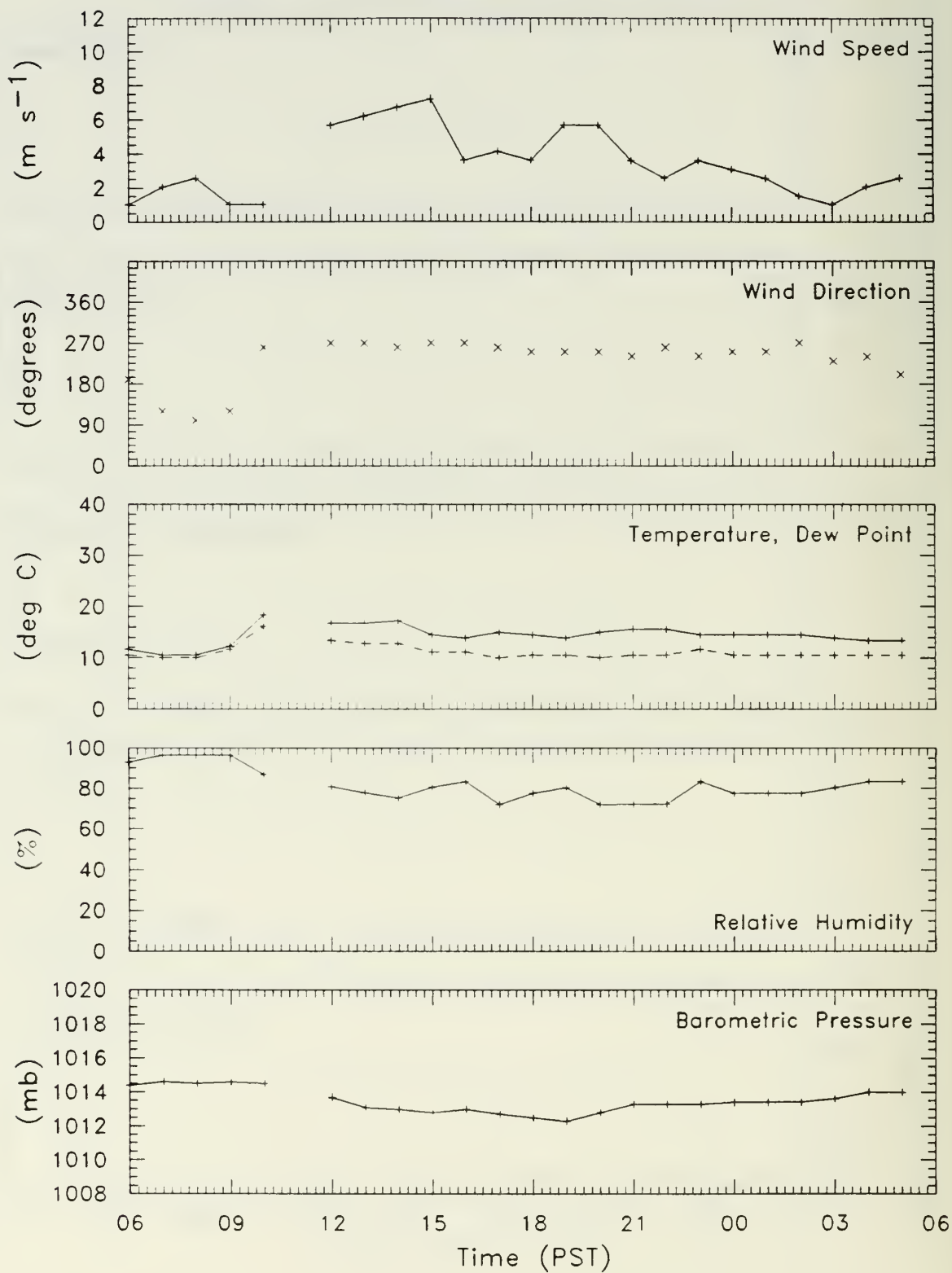
Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord) - 18 Sept 1987



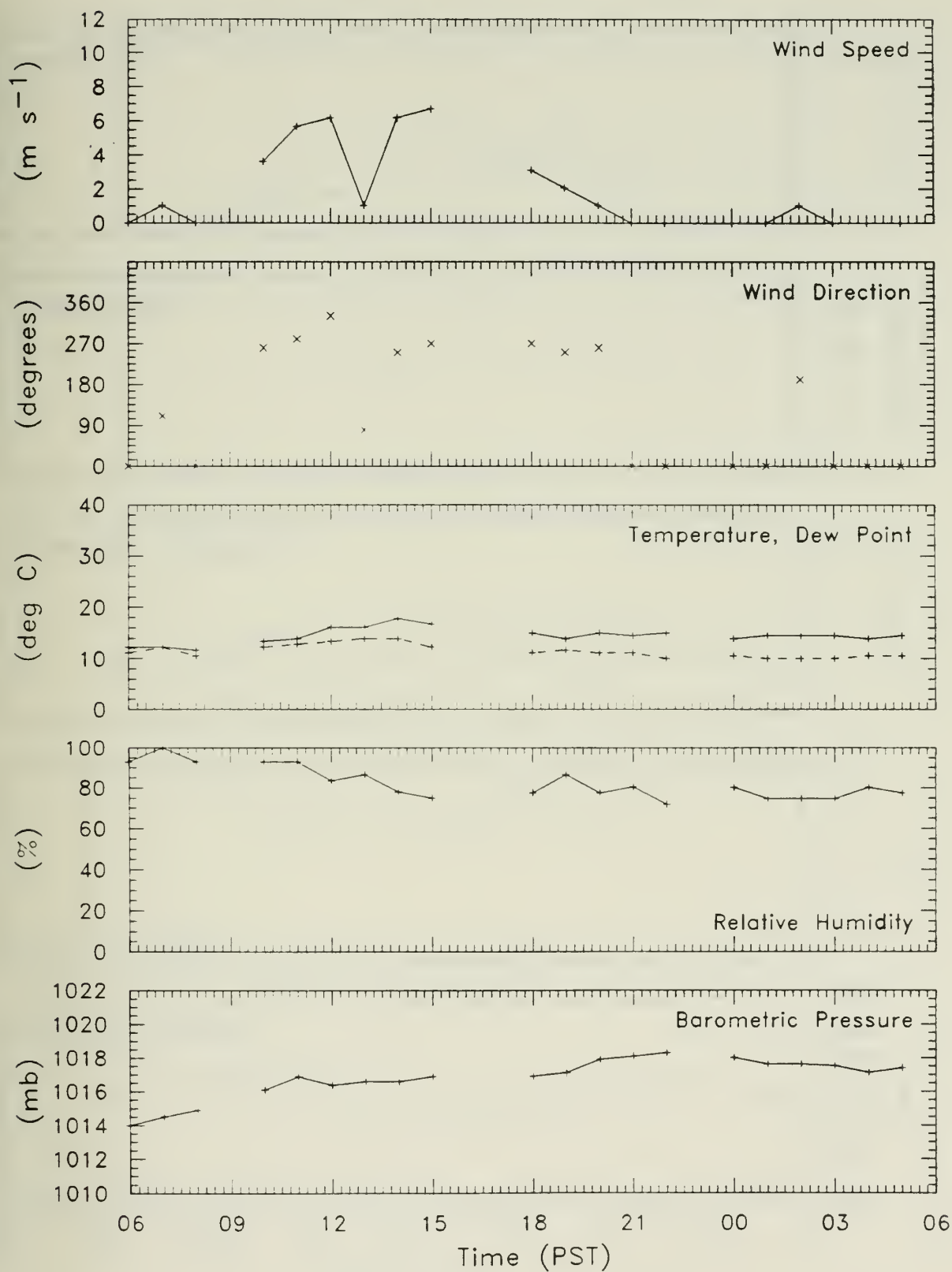
Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord) - 20 Sept 1987



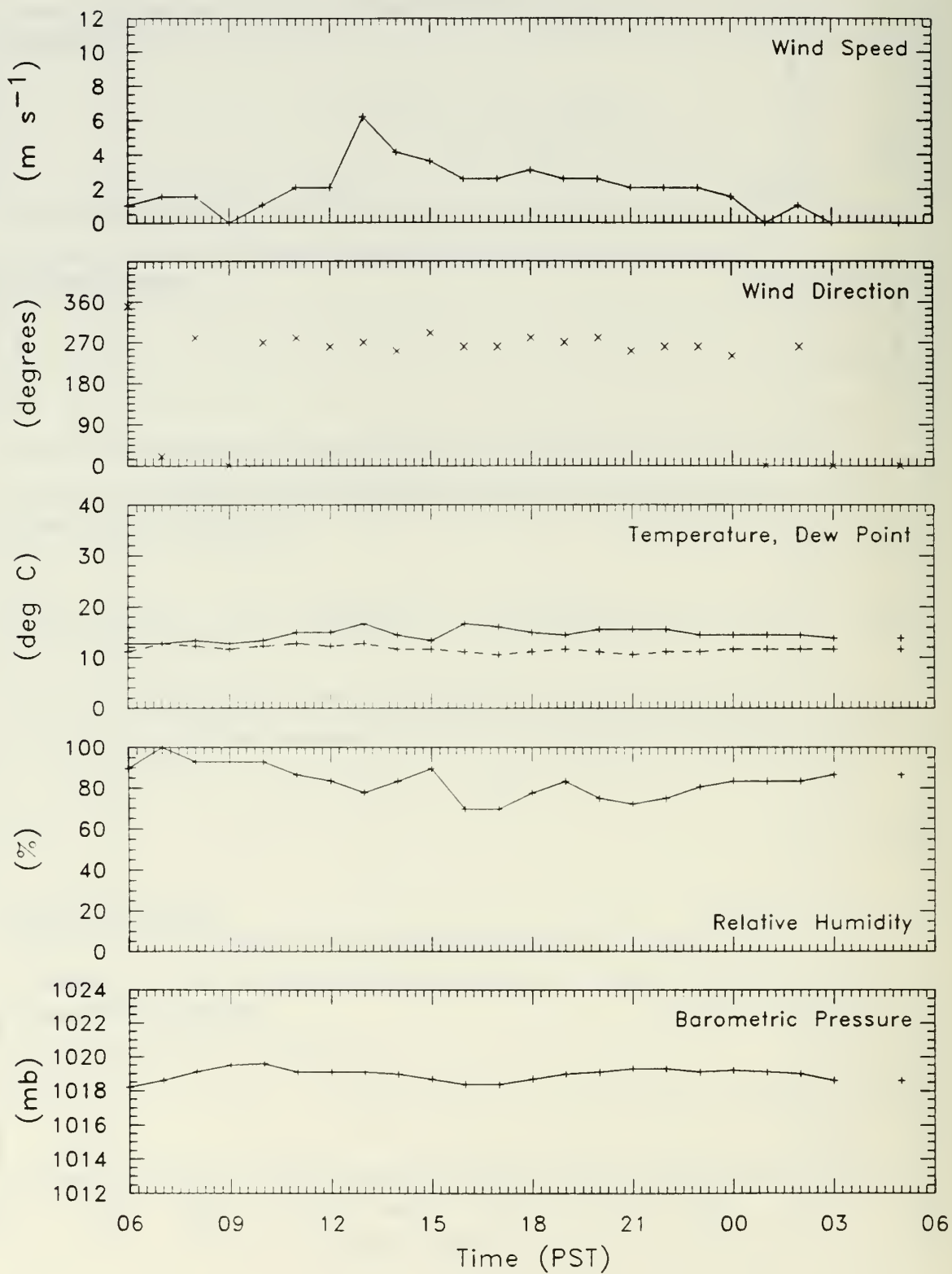
Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord) - 21 Sept 1987



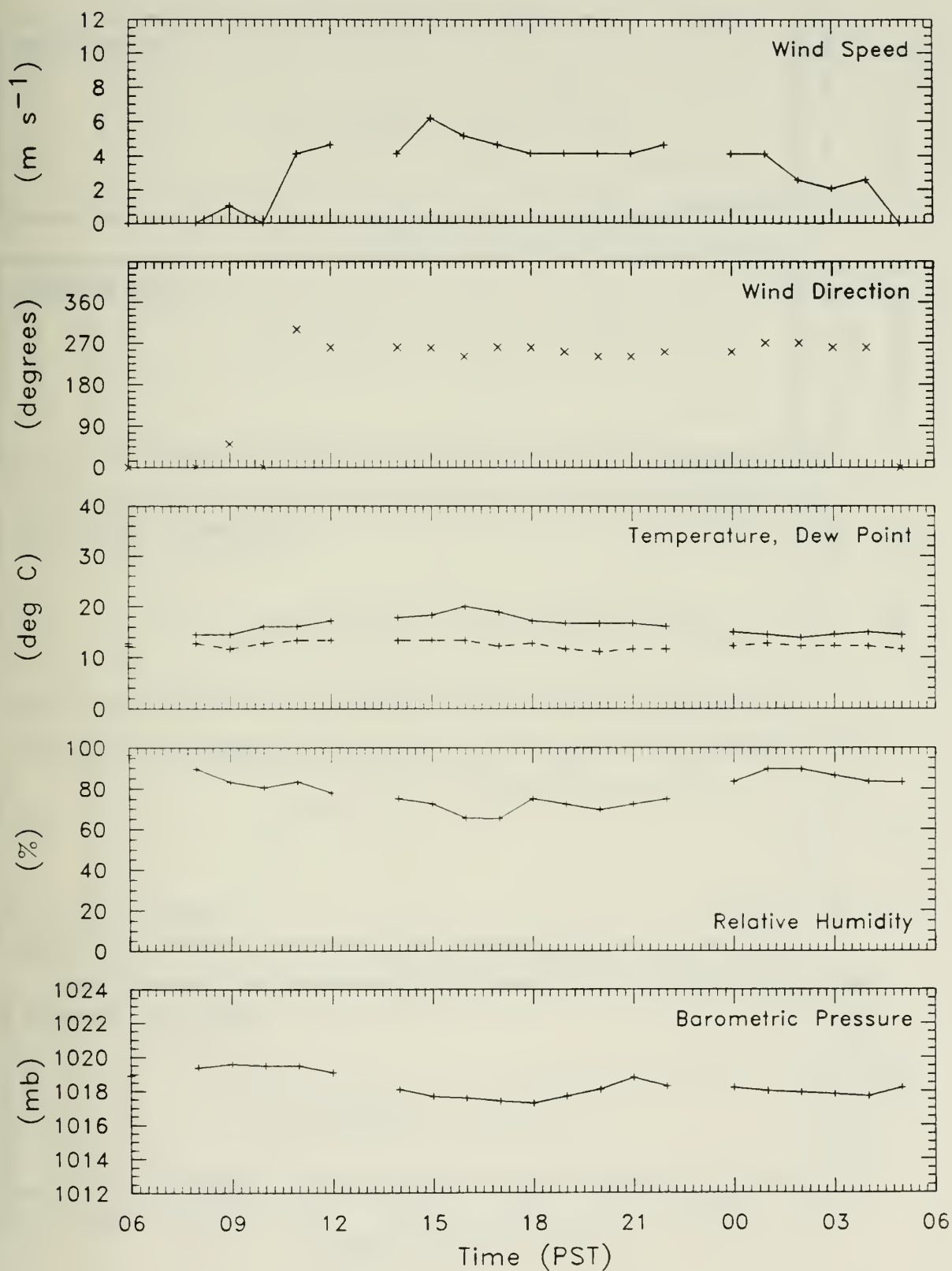
Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord) - 22 Sept 1987



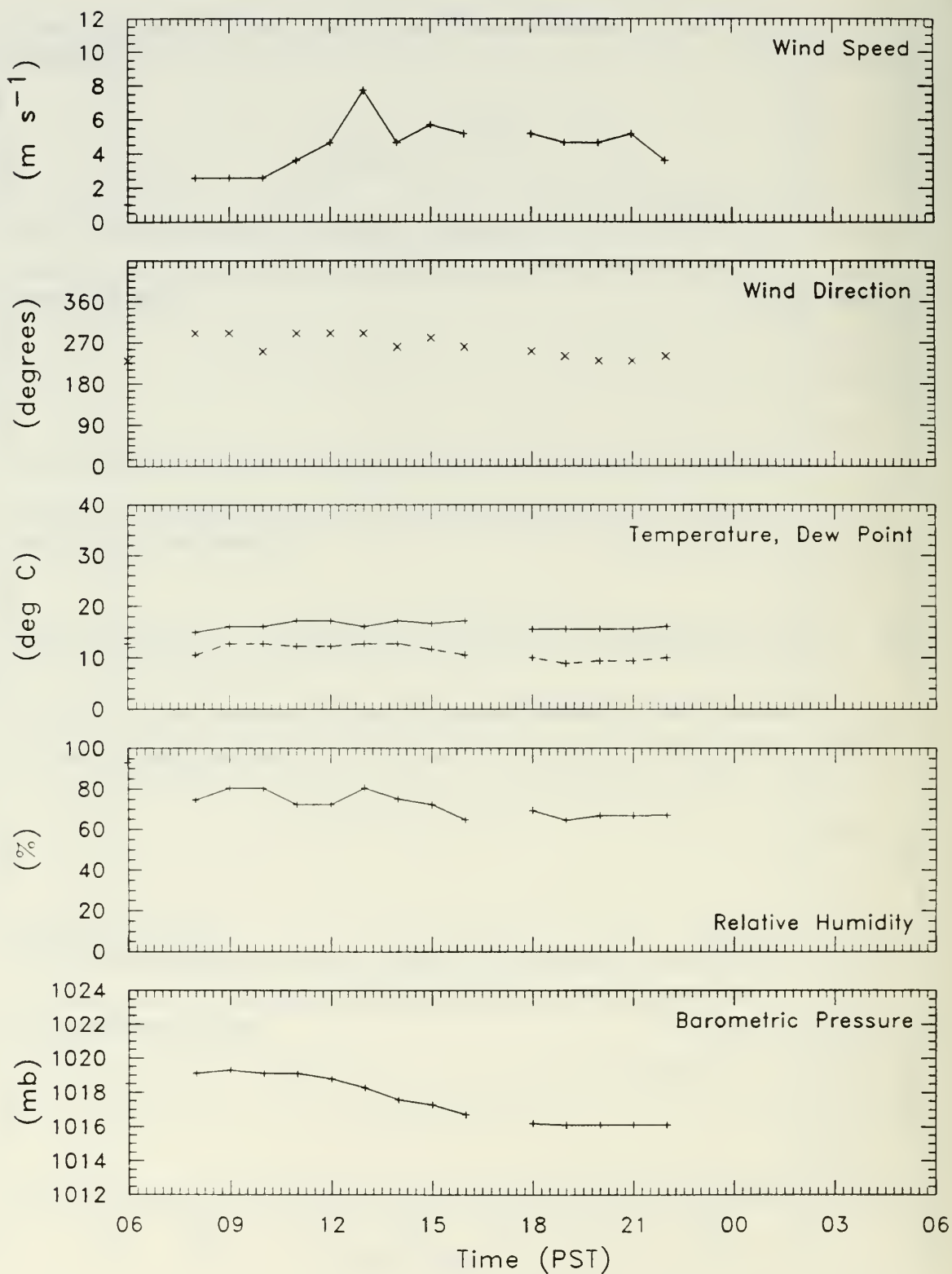
Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord) - 23 Sept 1987



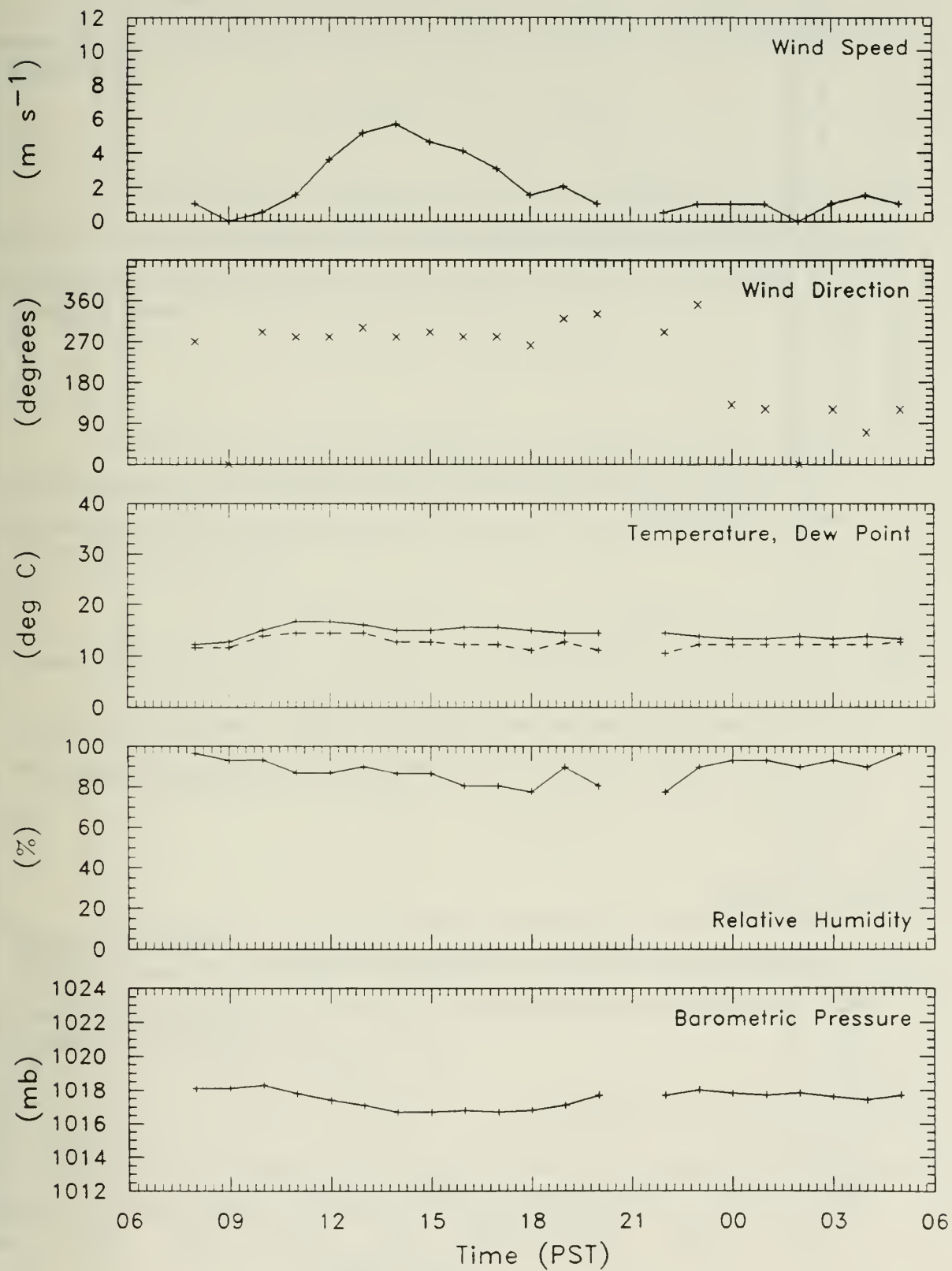
Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord) - 24 Sept 1987



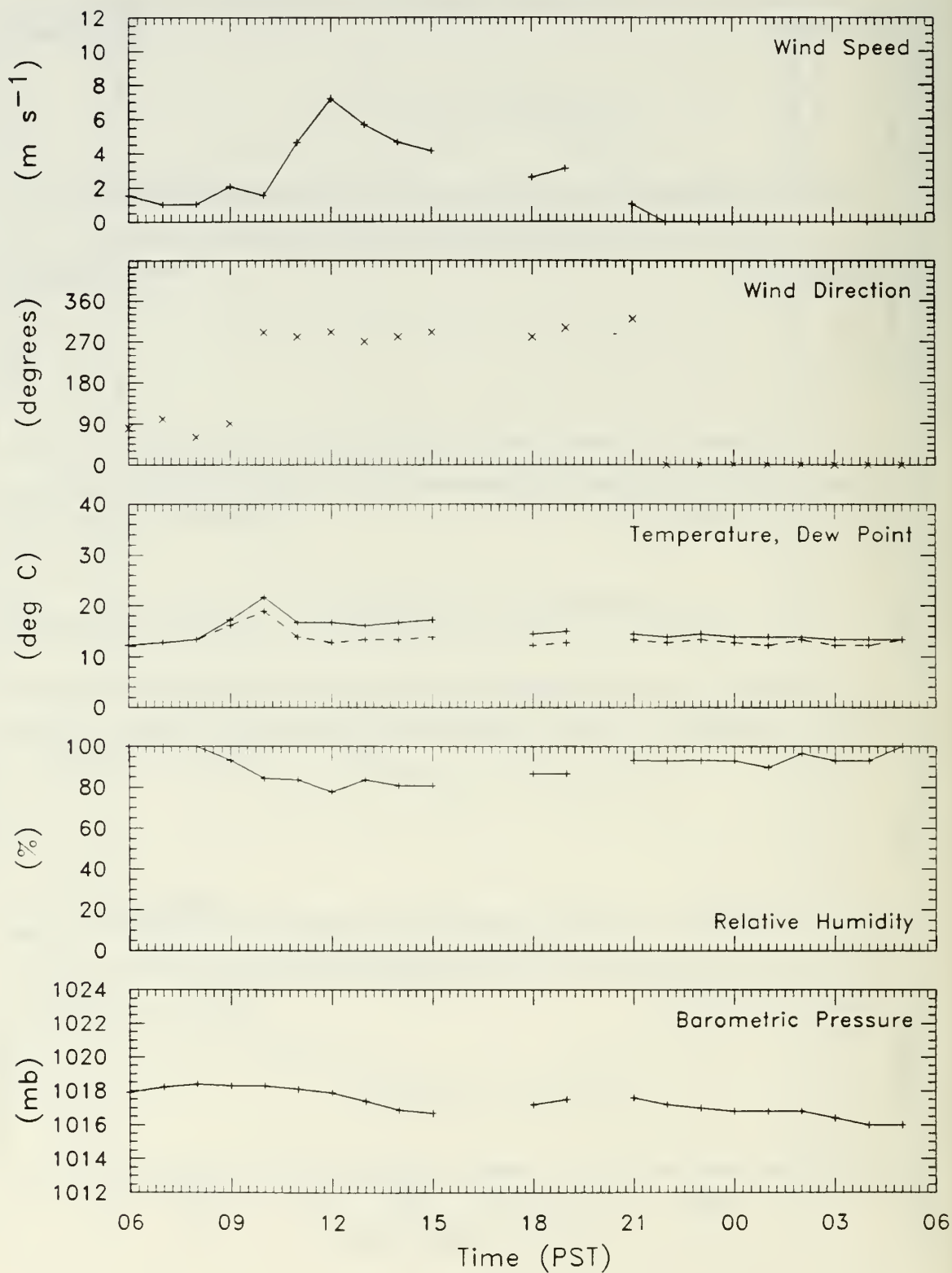
Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord) - 25 Sept 1987



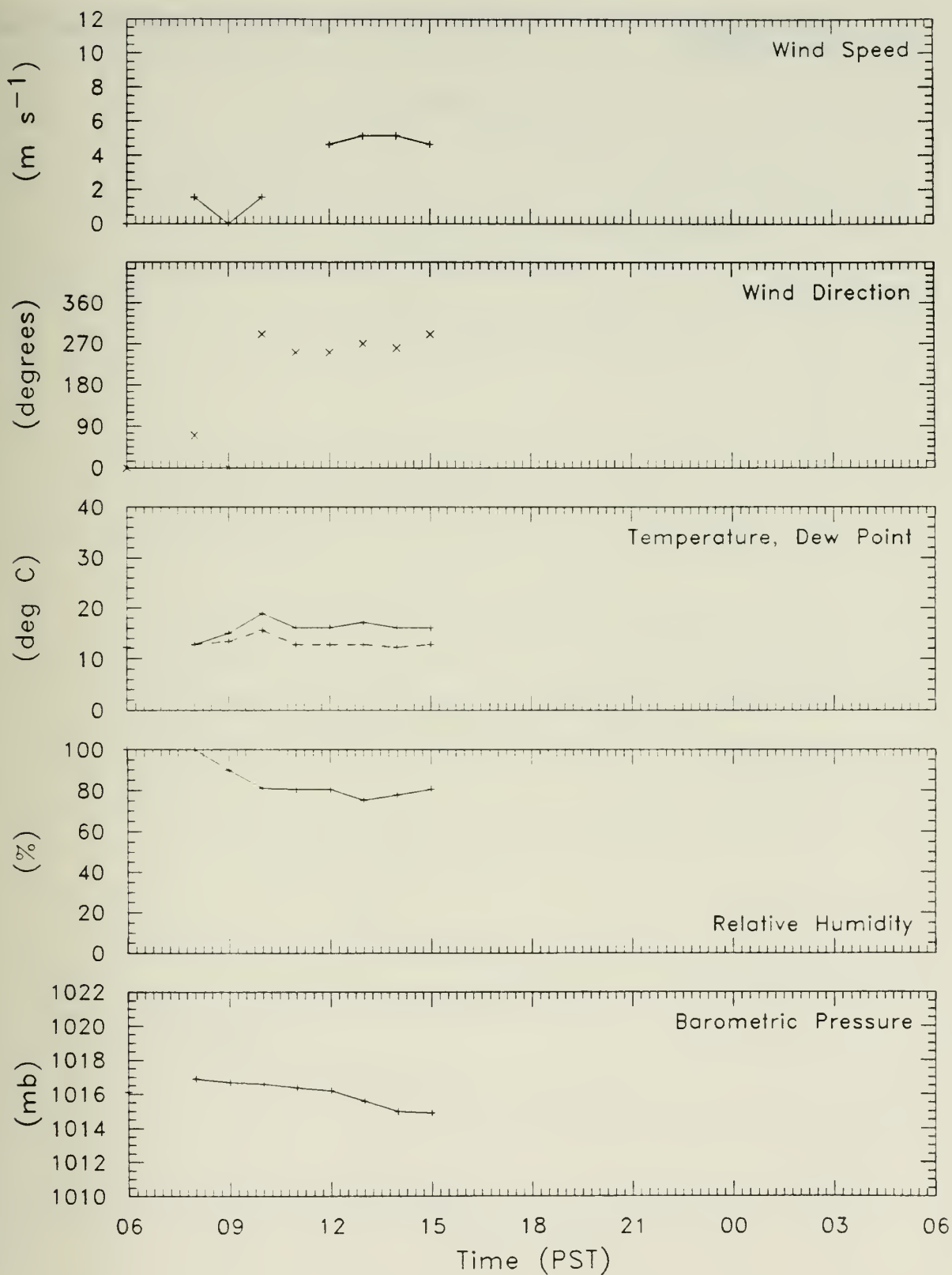
Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord) - 28 Sept 1987



Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord) - 29 Sept 1987



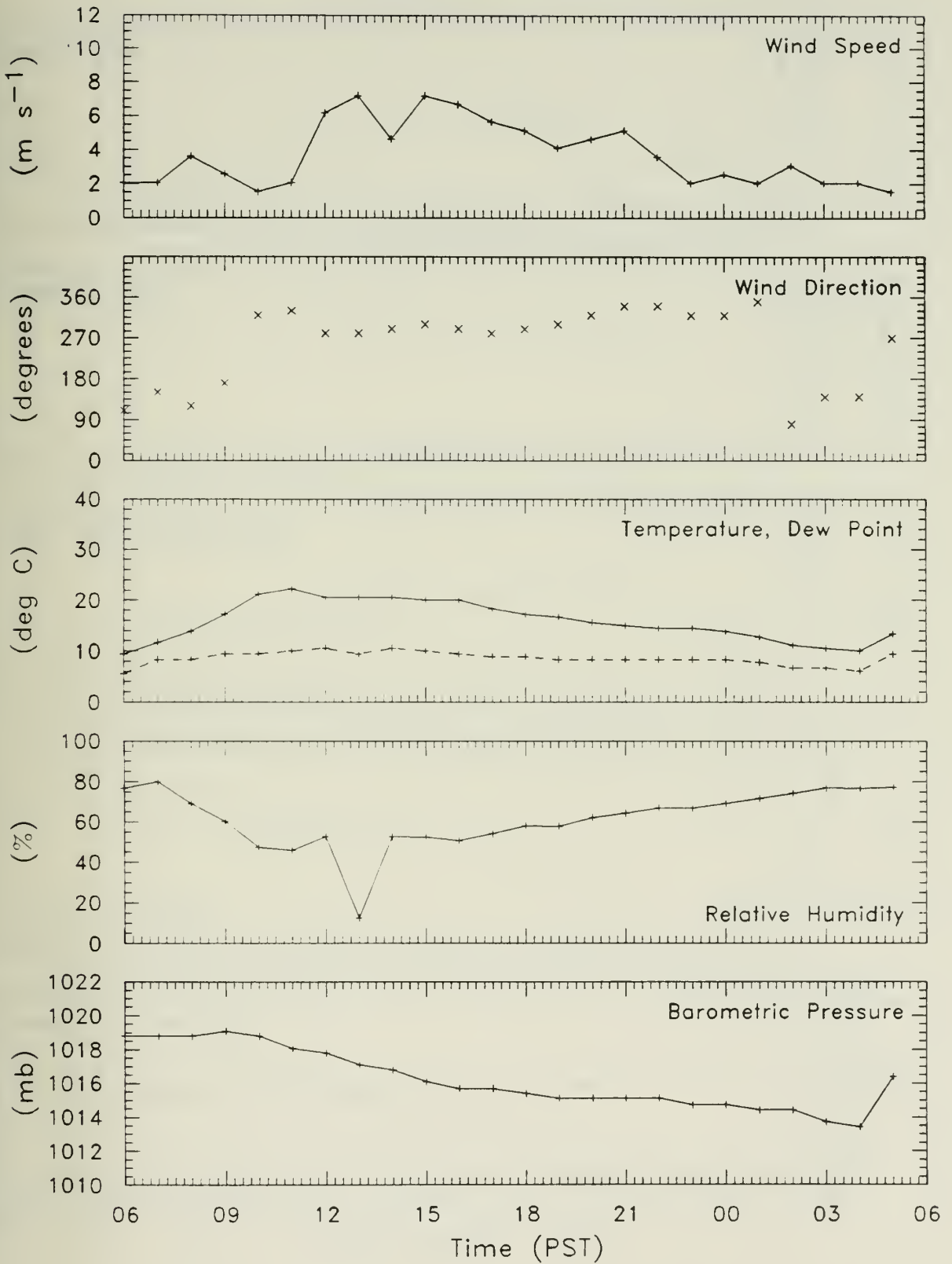
Fritzsche Army Airfield (Ft. Ord) - 30 Sept 1987



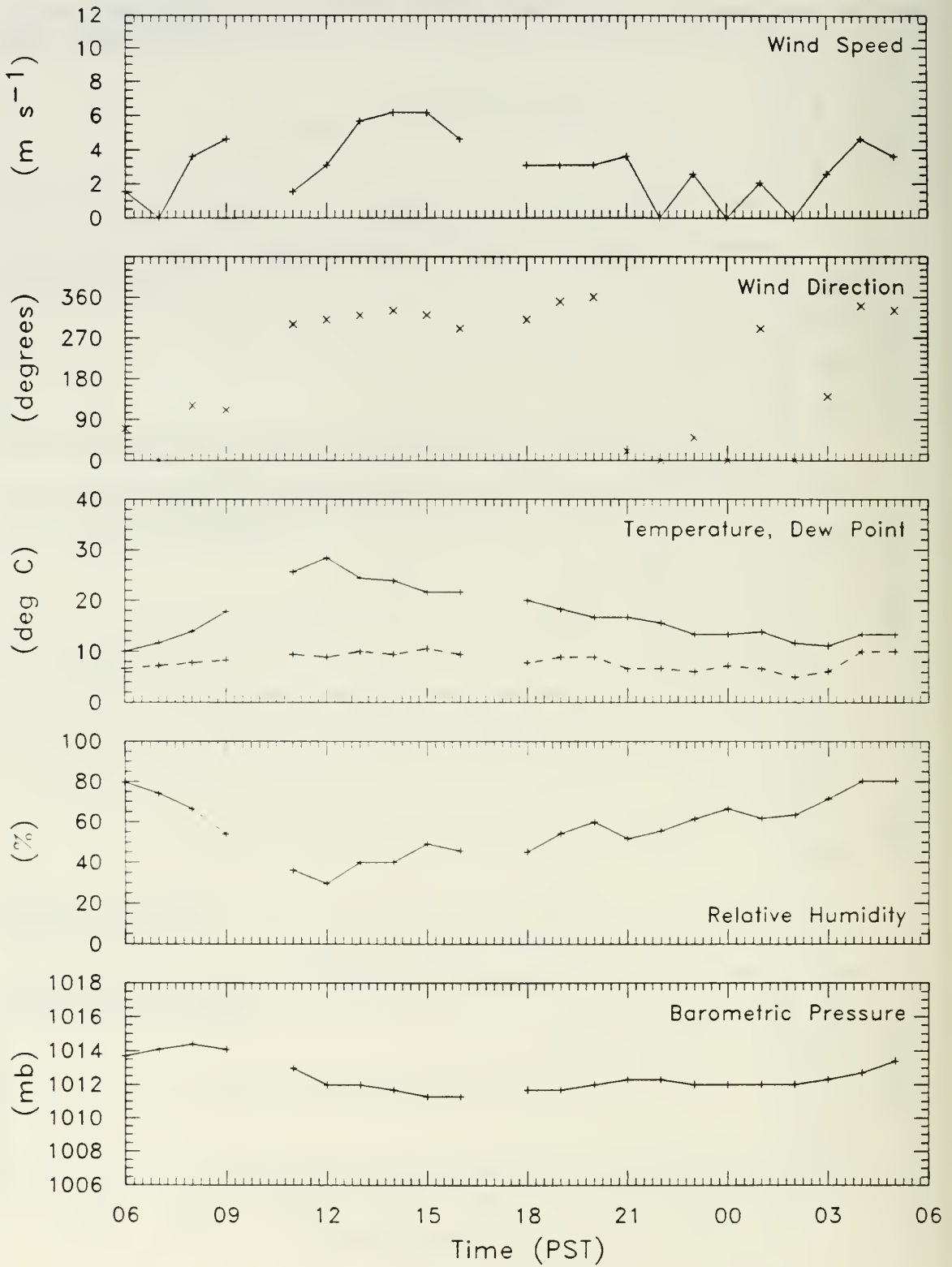
14. TIME SERIES, SALINAS MUNICIPAL AIRPORT

This section presents graphs of all data recorded hourly at the Salinas Municipal Airport (Fig. 1) during LASBEX.

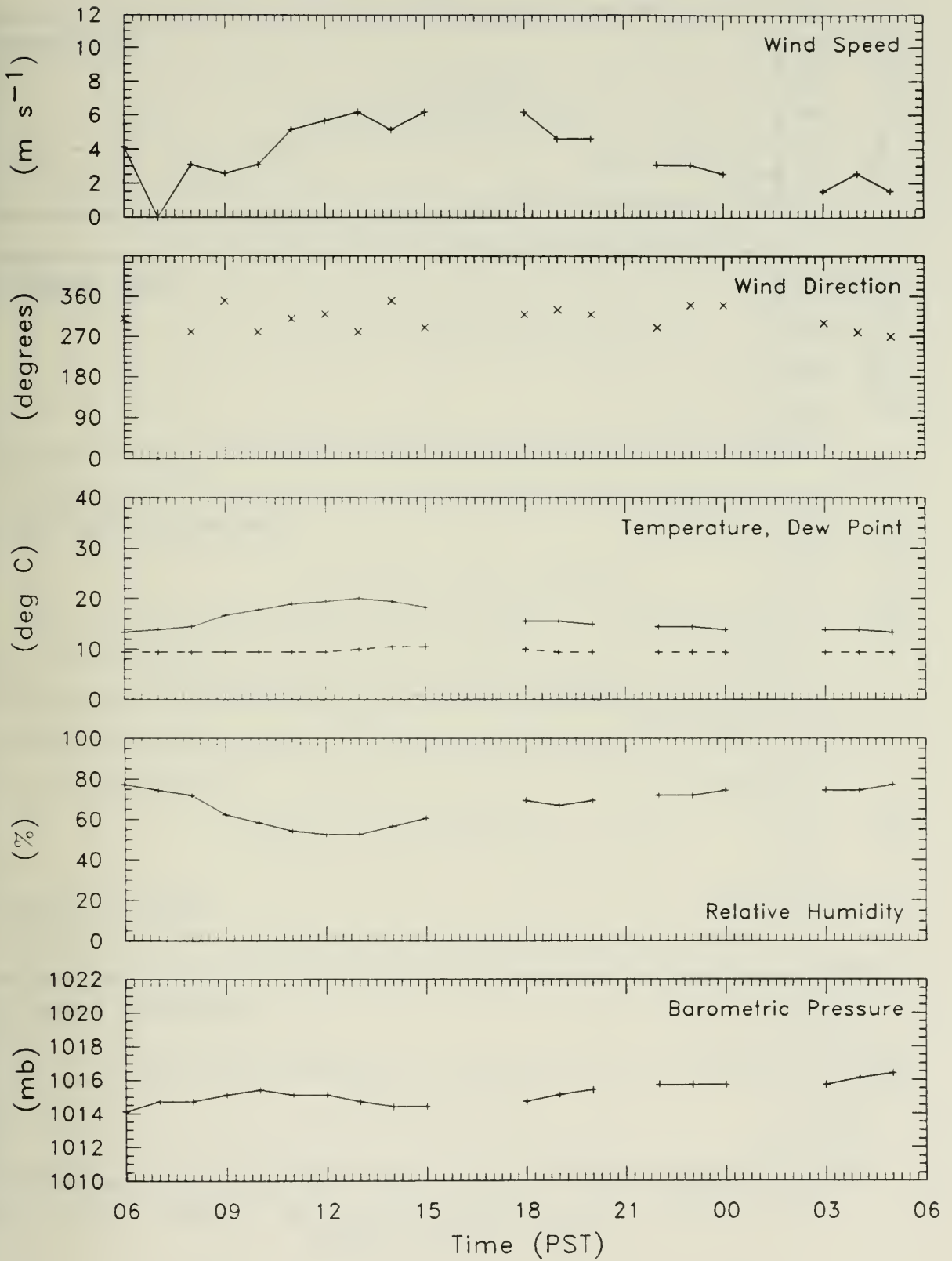
Salinas Airport - 15 Sept 1987



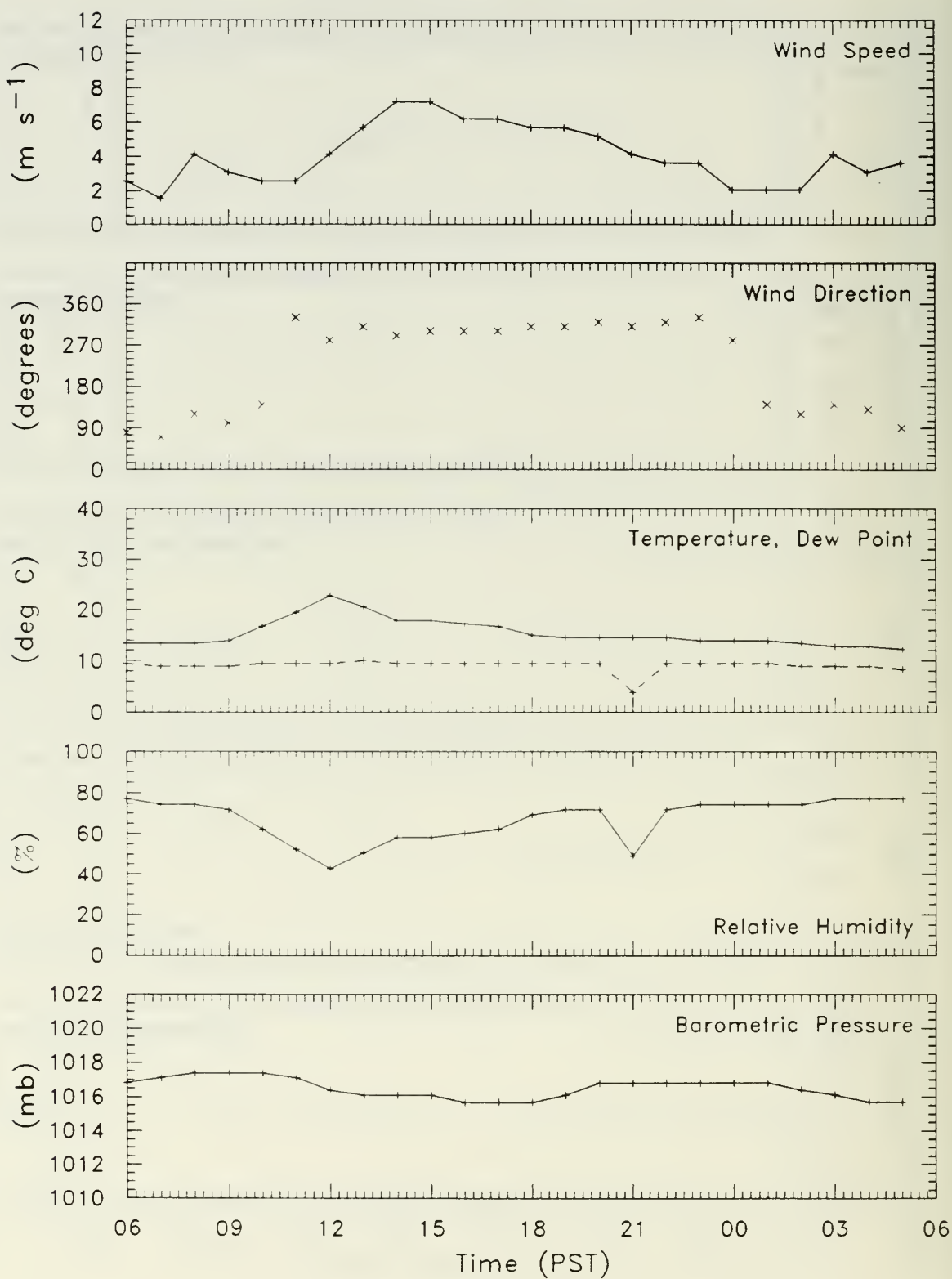
Salinas Airport - 16 Sept 1987



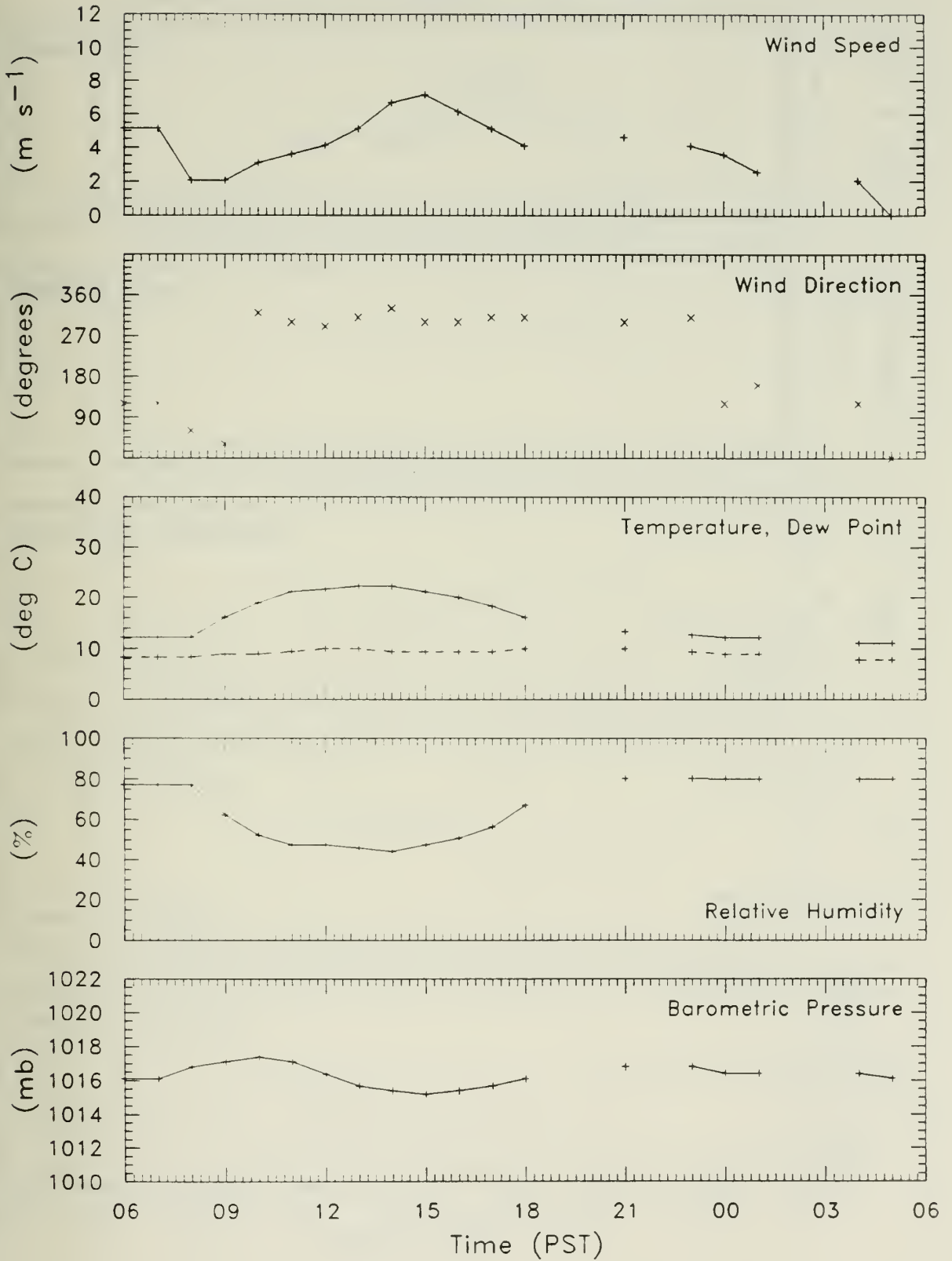
Salinas Airport - 17 Sept 1987



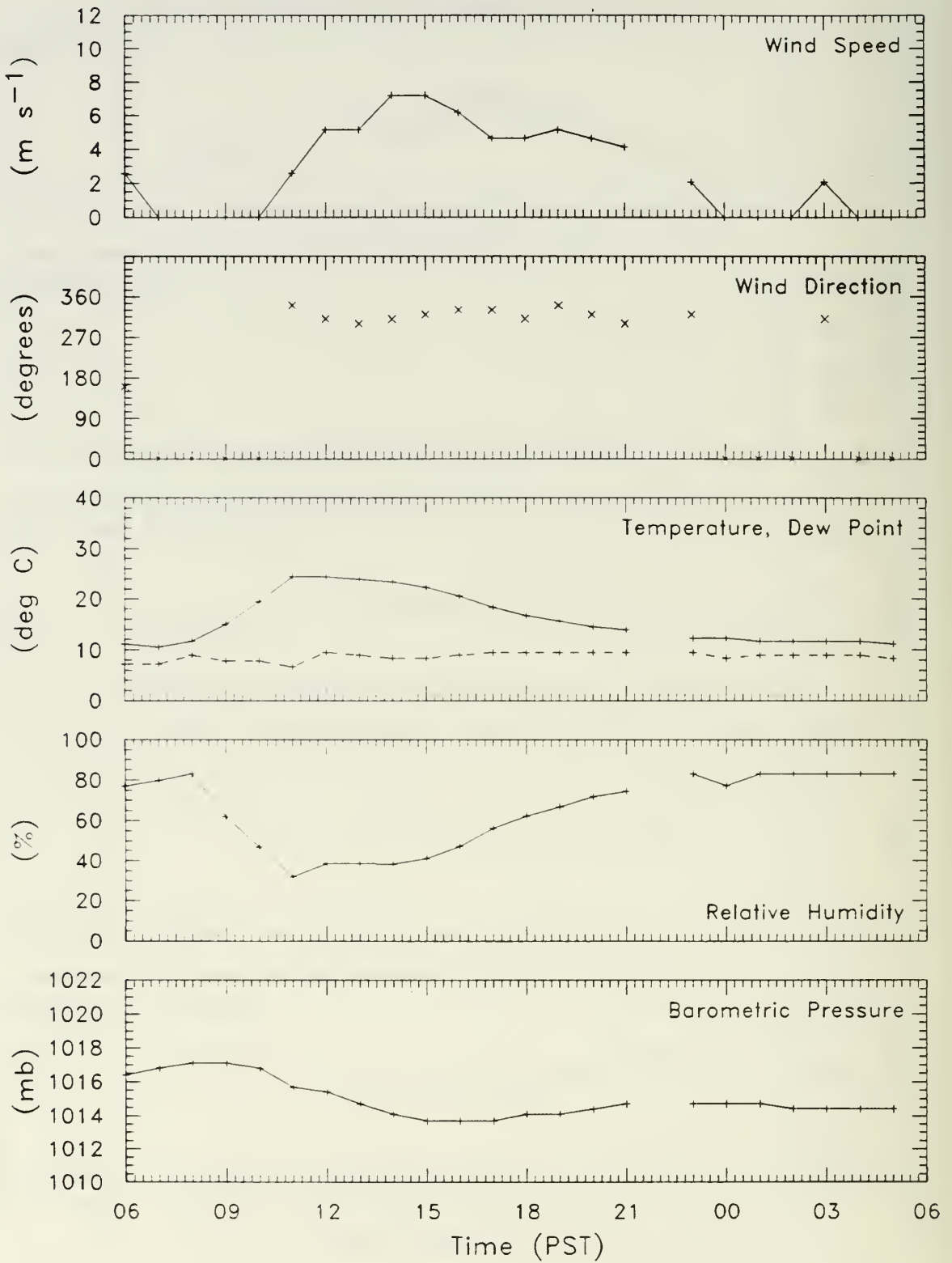
Salinas Airport - 18 Sept 1987



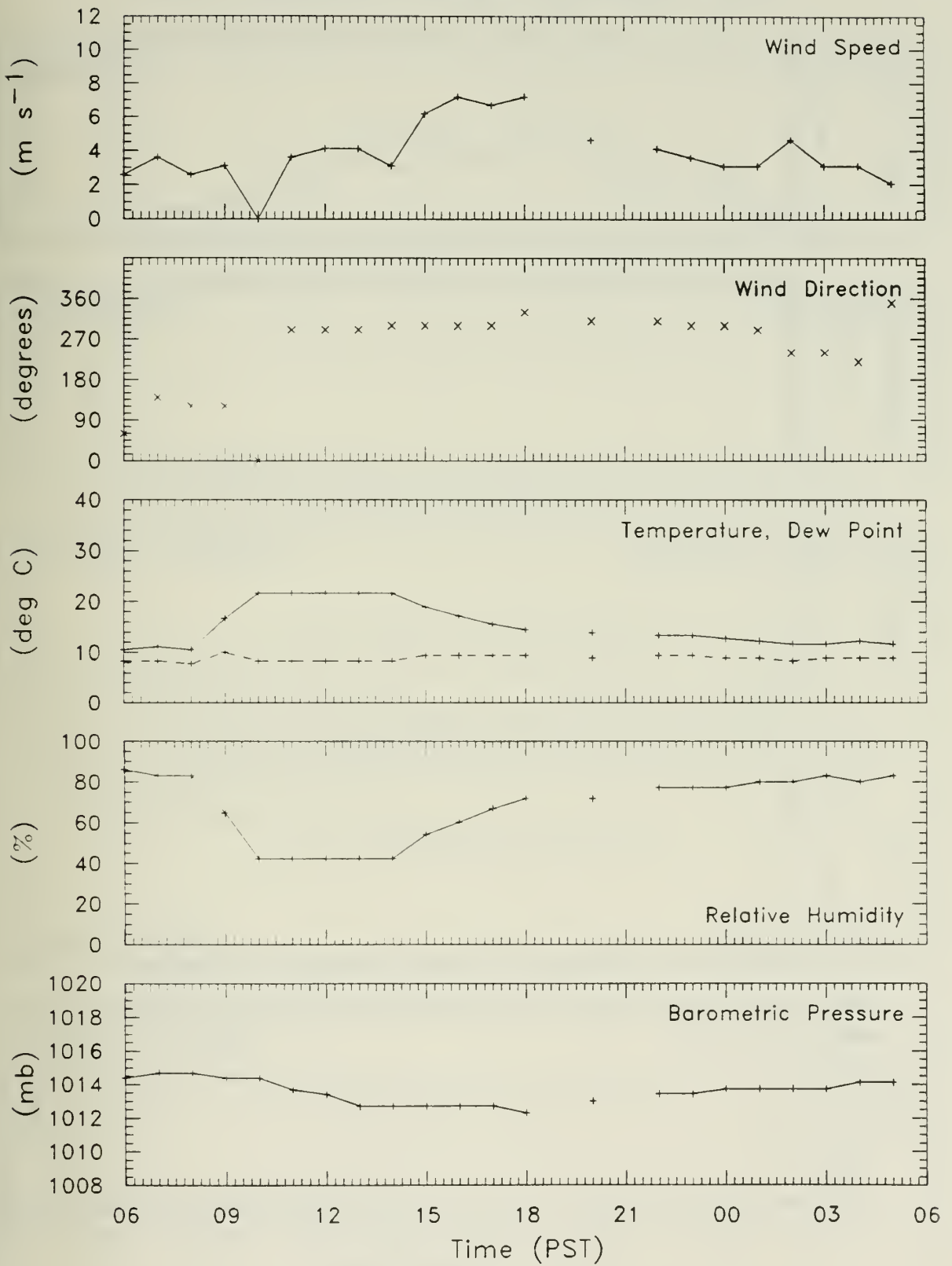
Salinas Airport - 19 Sept 1987



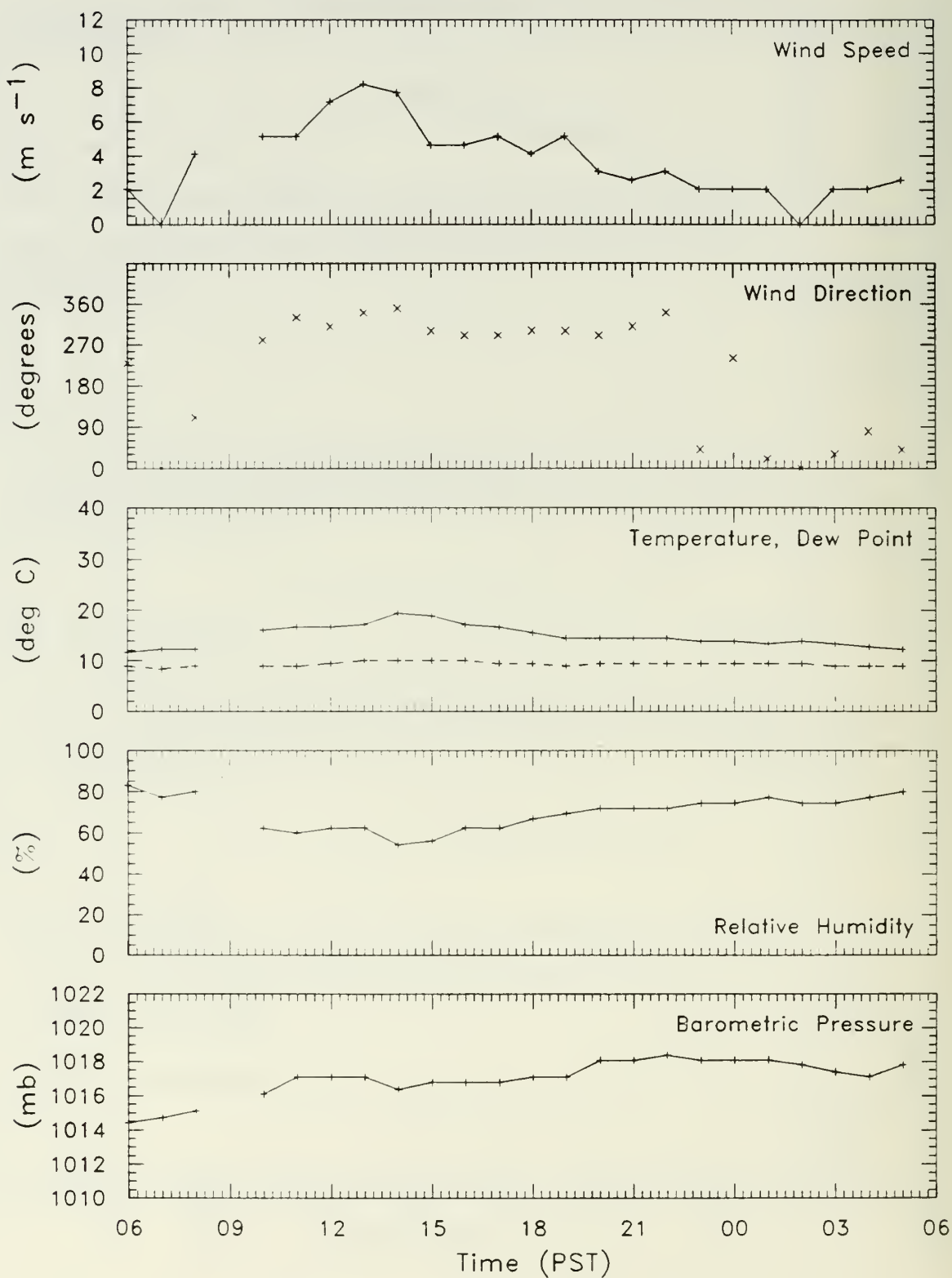
Salinas Airport - 20 Sept 1987



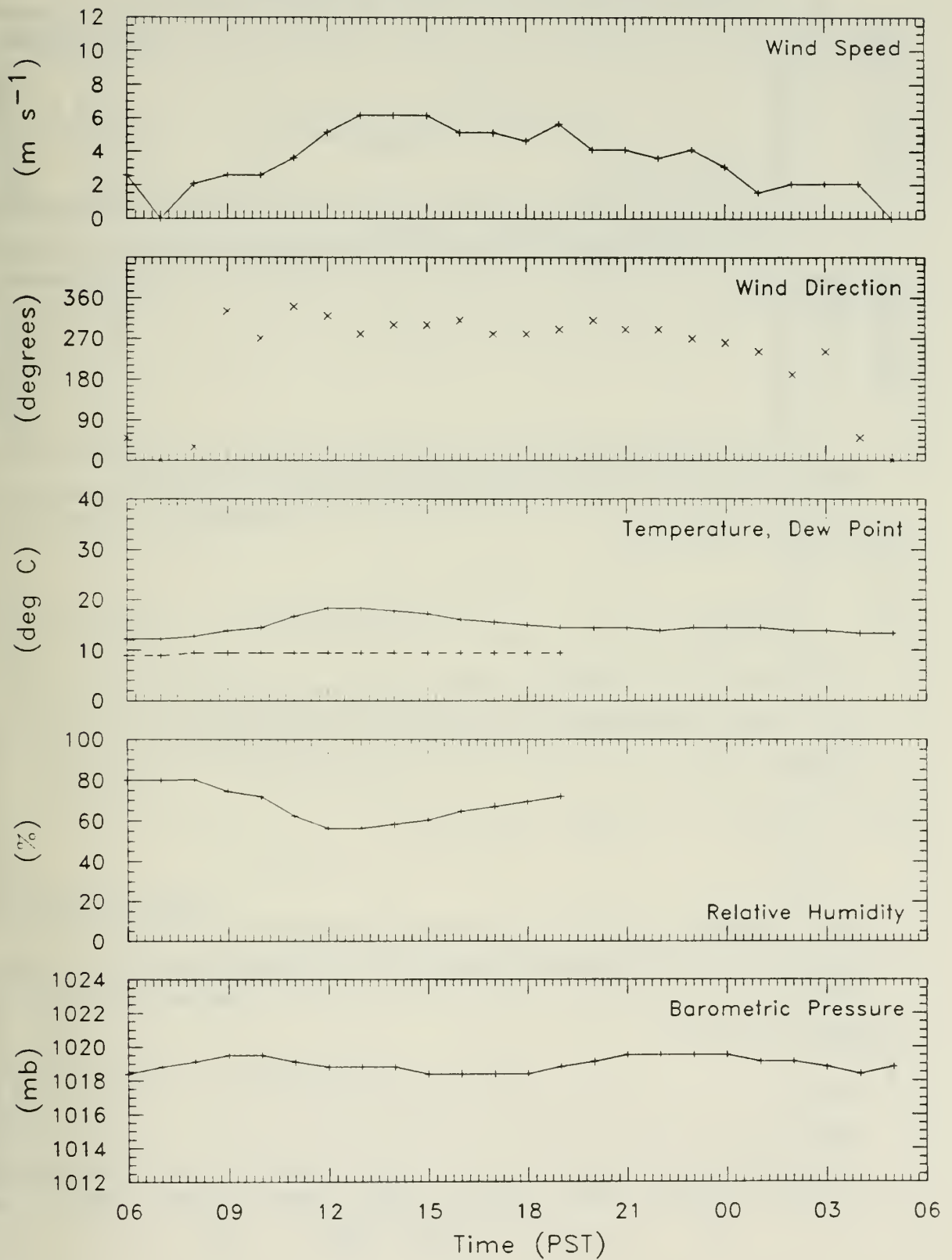
Salinas Airport - 21 Sept 1987



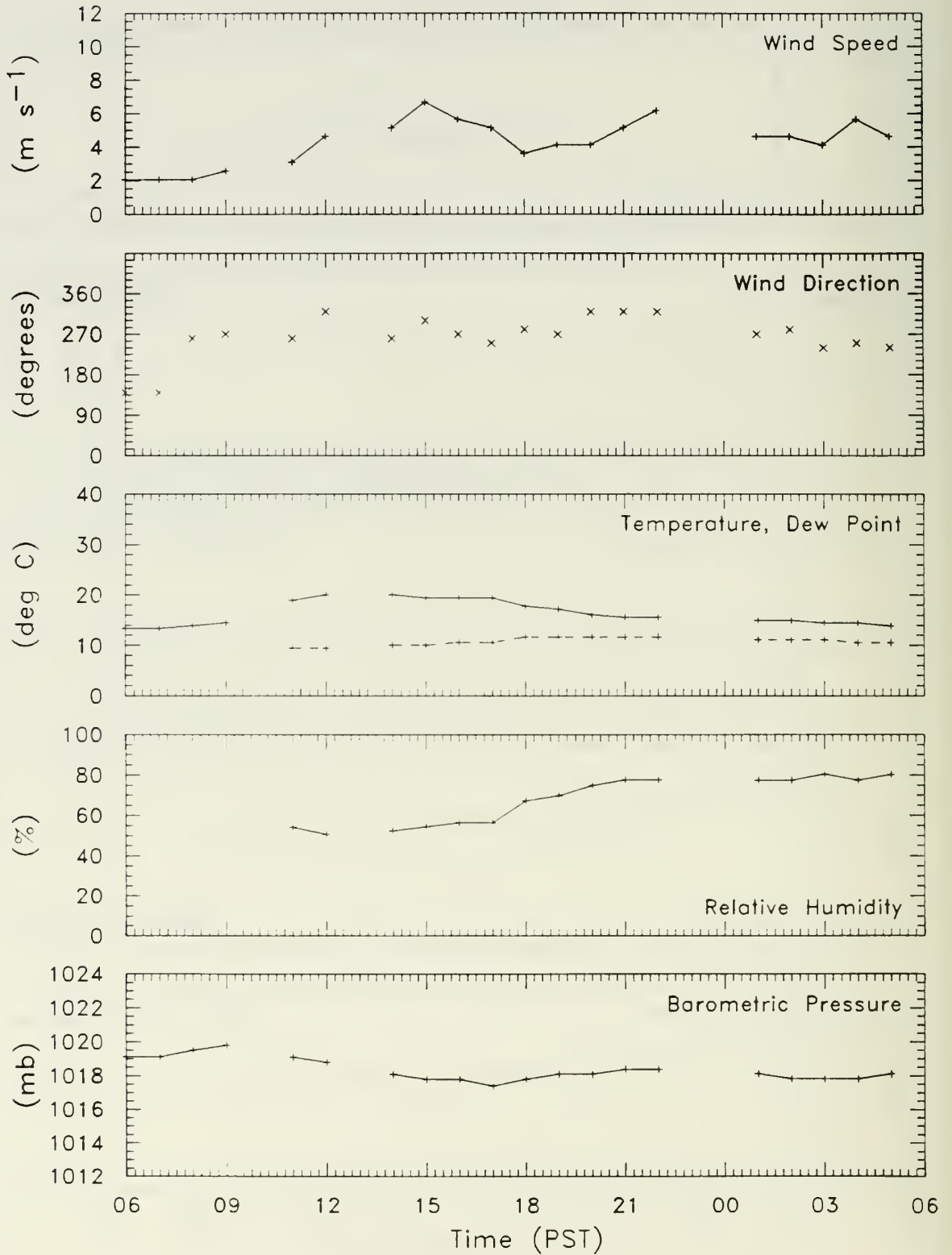
Salinas Airport - 22 Sept 1987



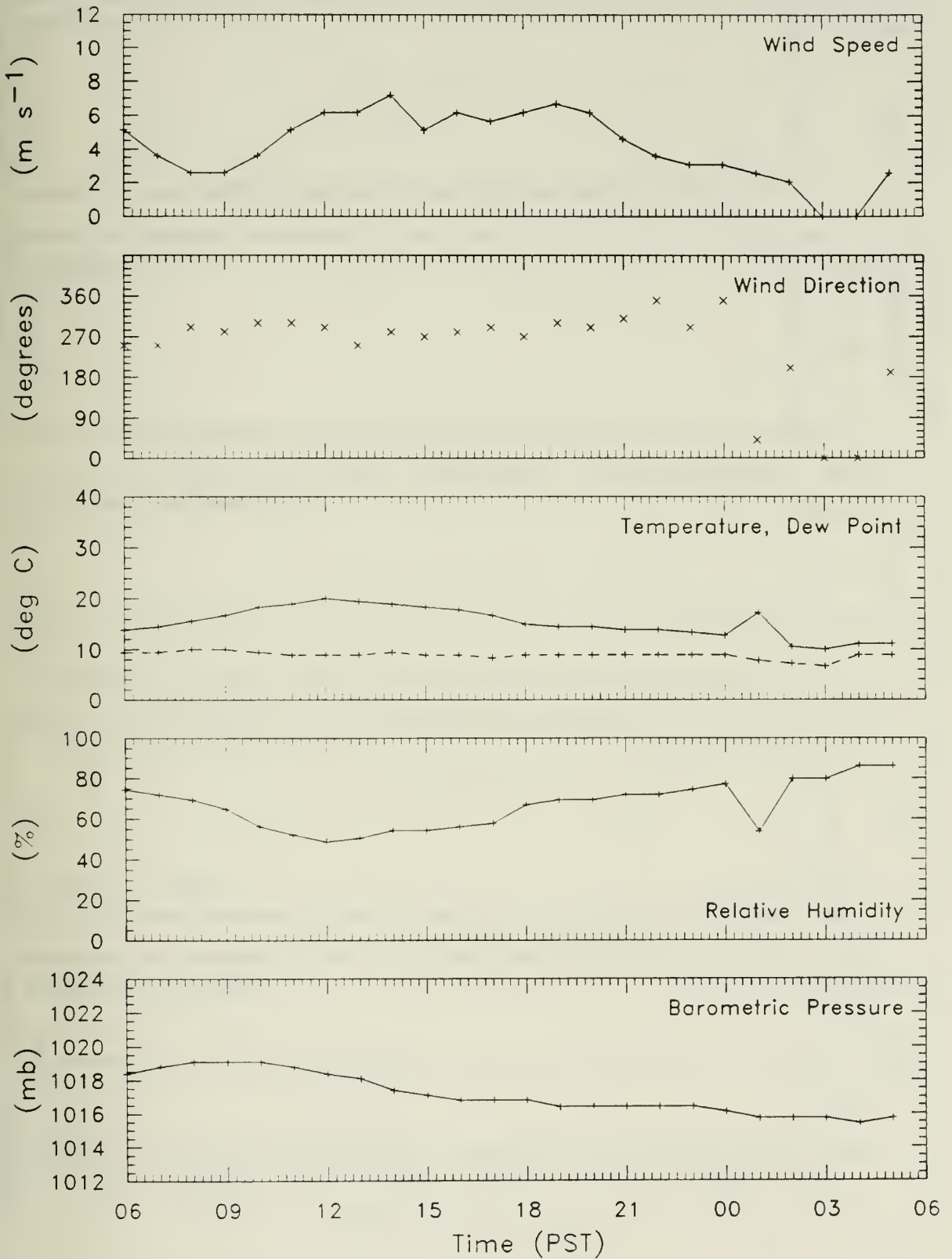
Salinas Airport - 23 Sept 1987



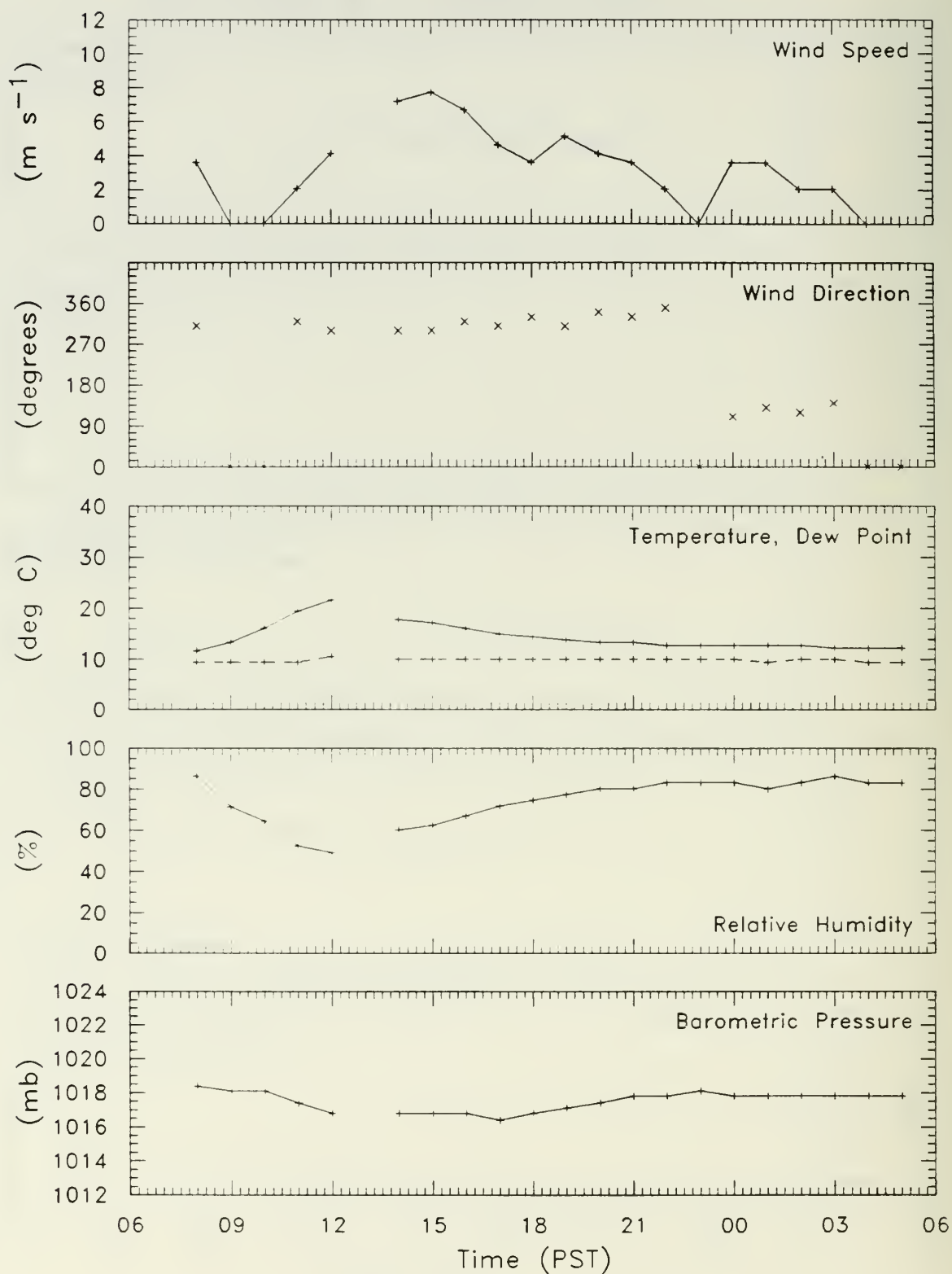
Salinas Airport - 24 Sept 1987



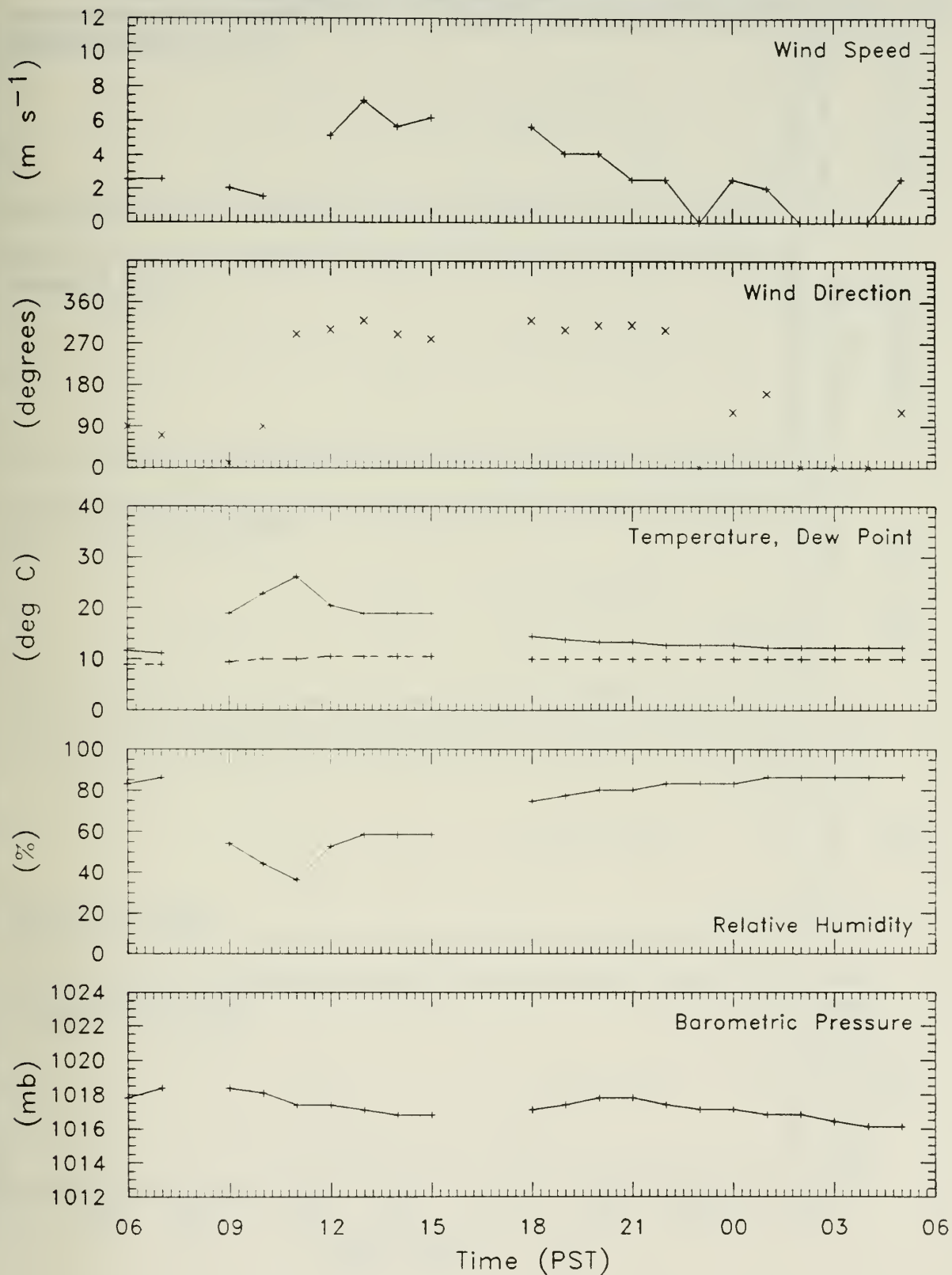
Salinas Airport - 25 Sept 1987



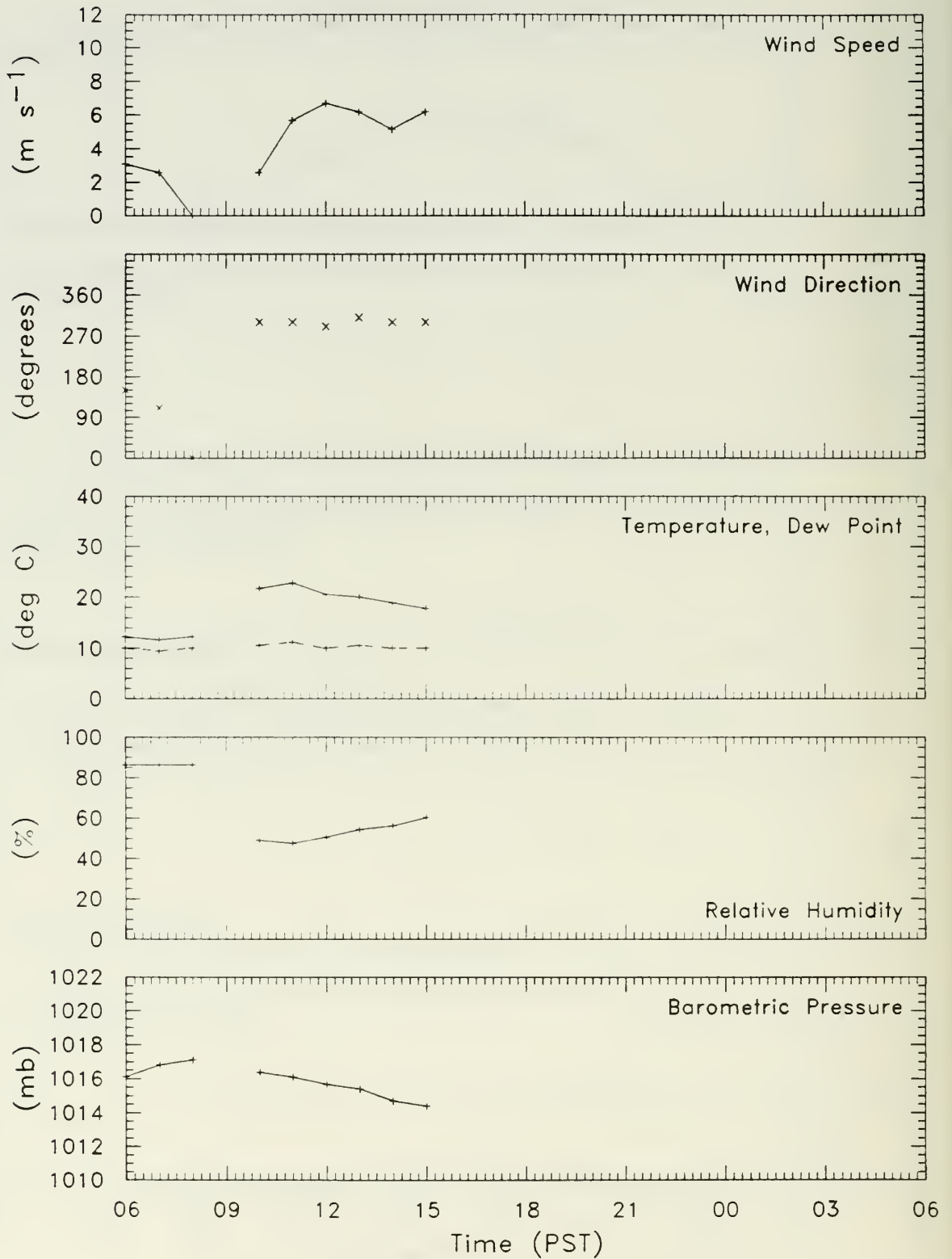
Salinas Airport - 28 Sept 1987



Salinas Airport - 29 Sept 1987



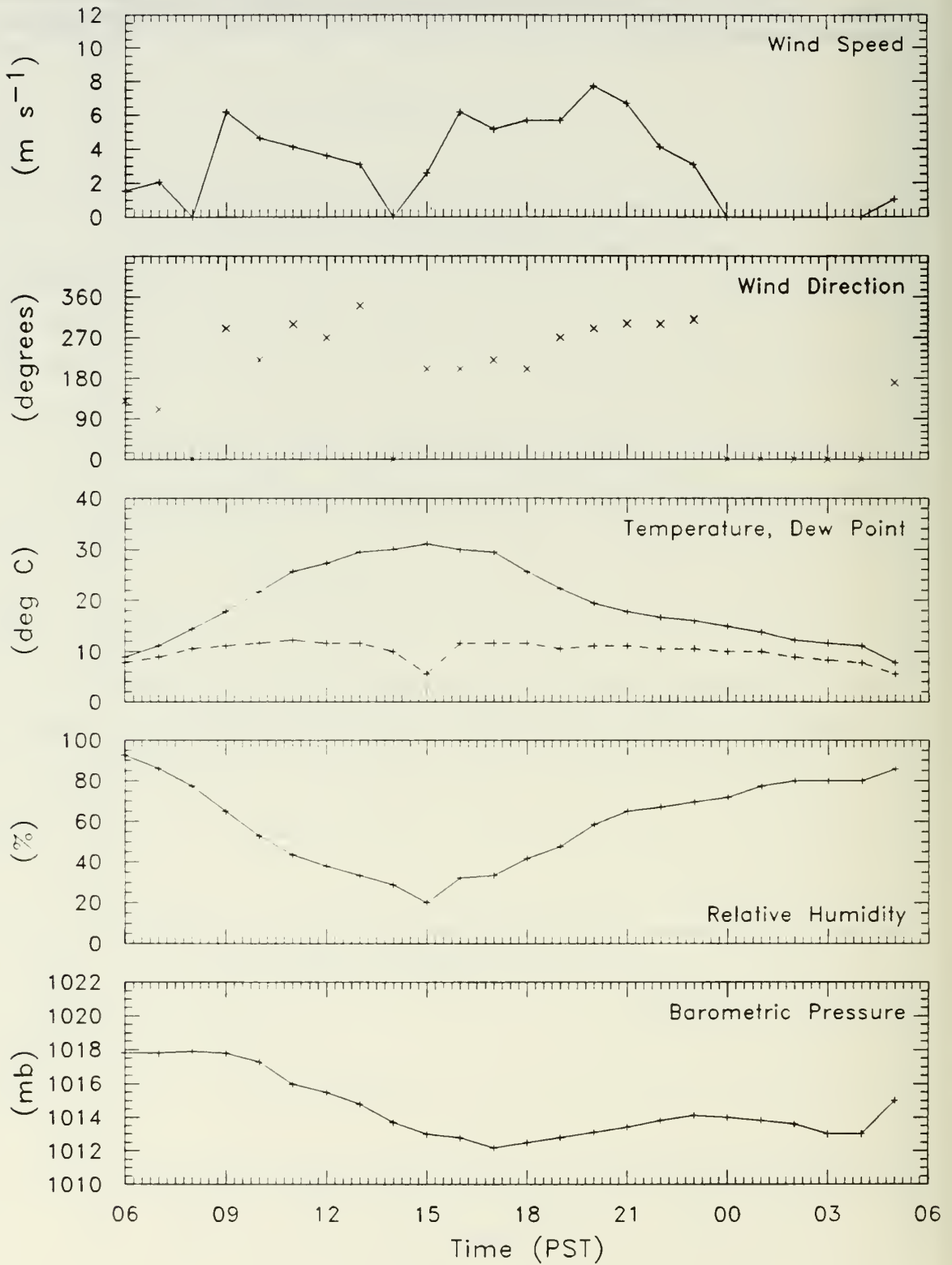
Salinas Airport - 30 Sept 1987



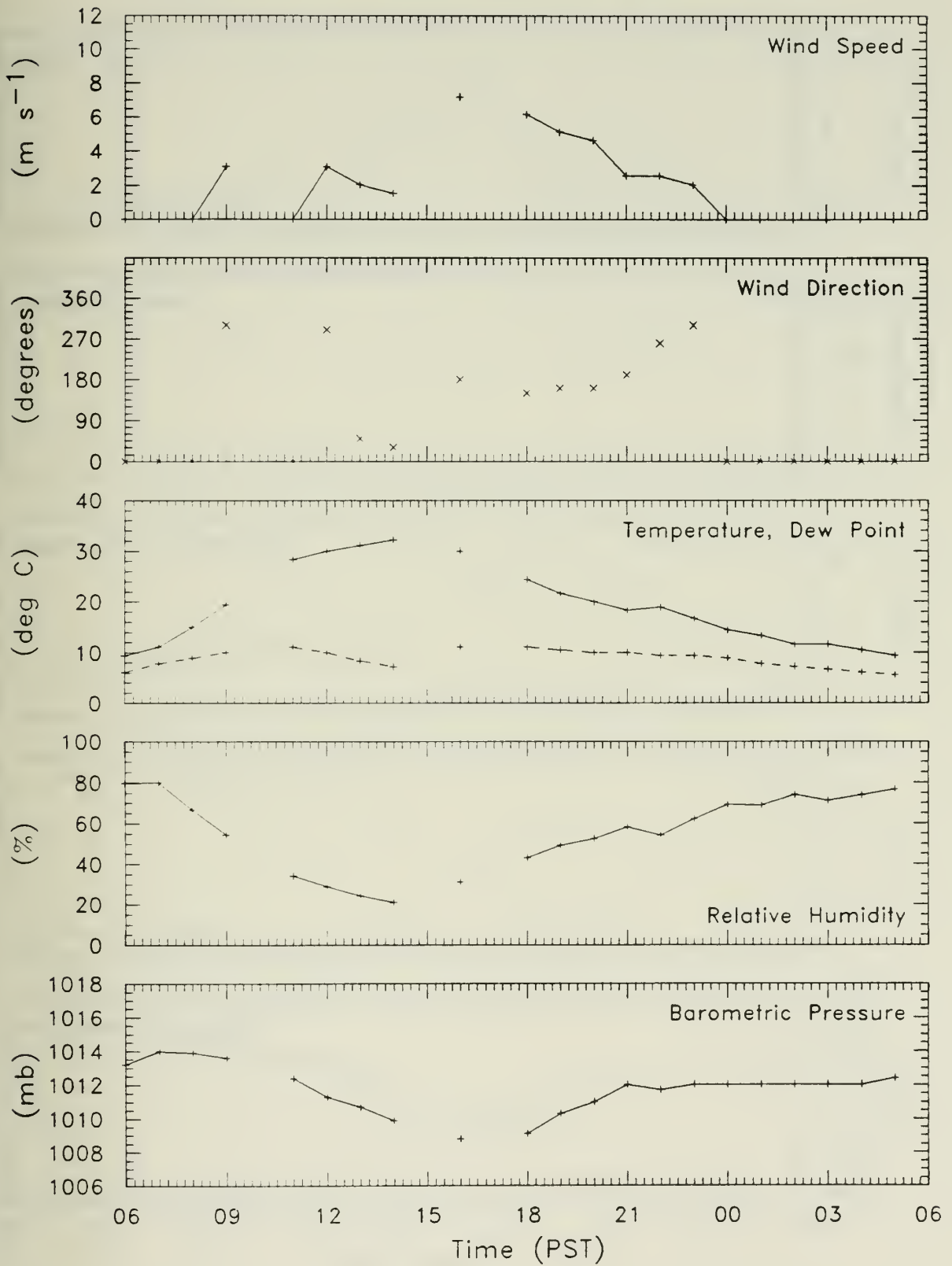
15. TIME SERIES, PASO ROBLES AIRPORT

This section presents graphs of all data recorded hourly at the Paso Robles Airport during LASBEX. Paso Robles is approximately 150 km up the Salinas Valley from Monterey Bay and is therefore not shown in Fig. 1.

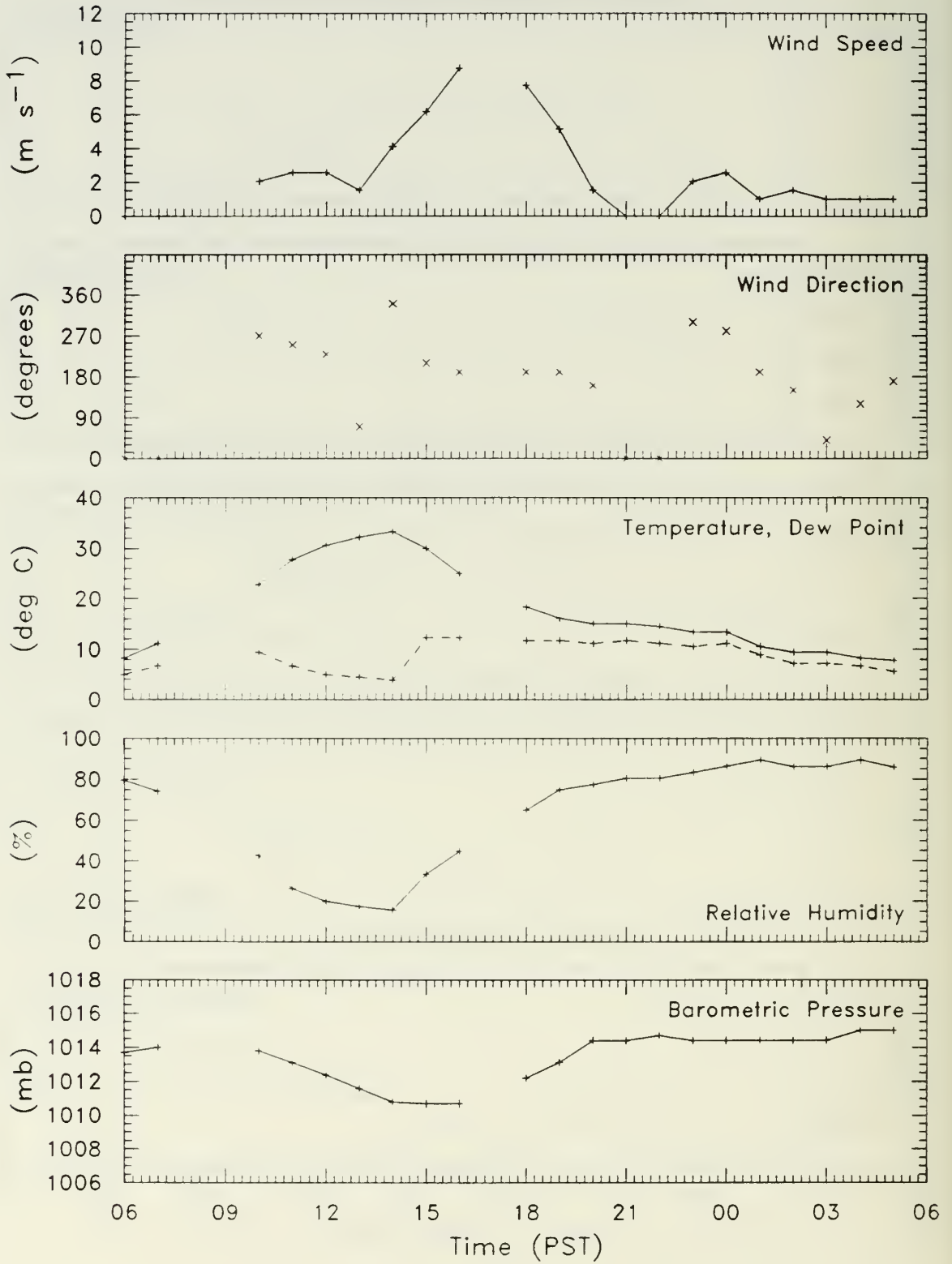
Paso Robles Airport - 15 Sept 1987



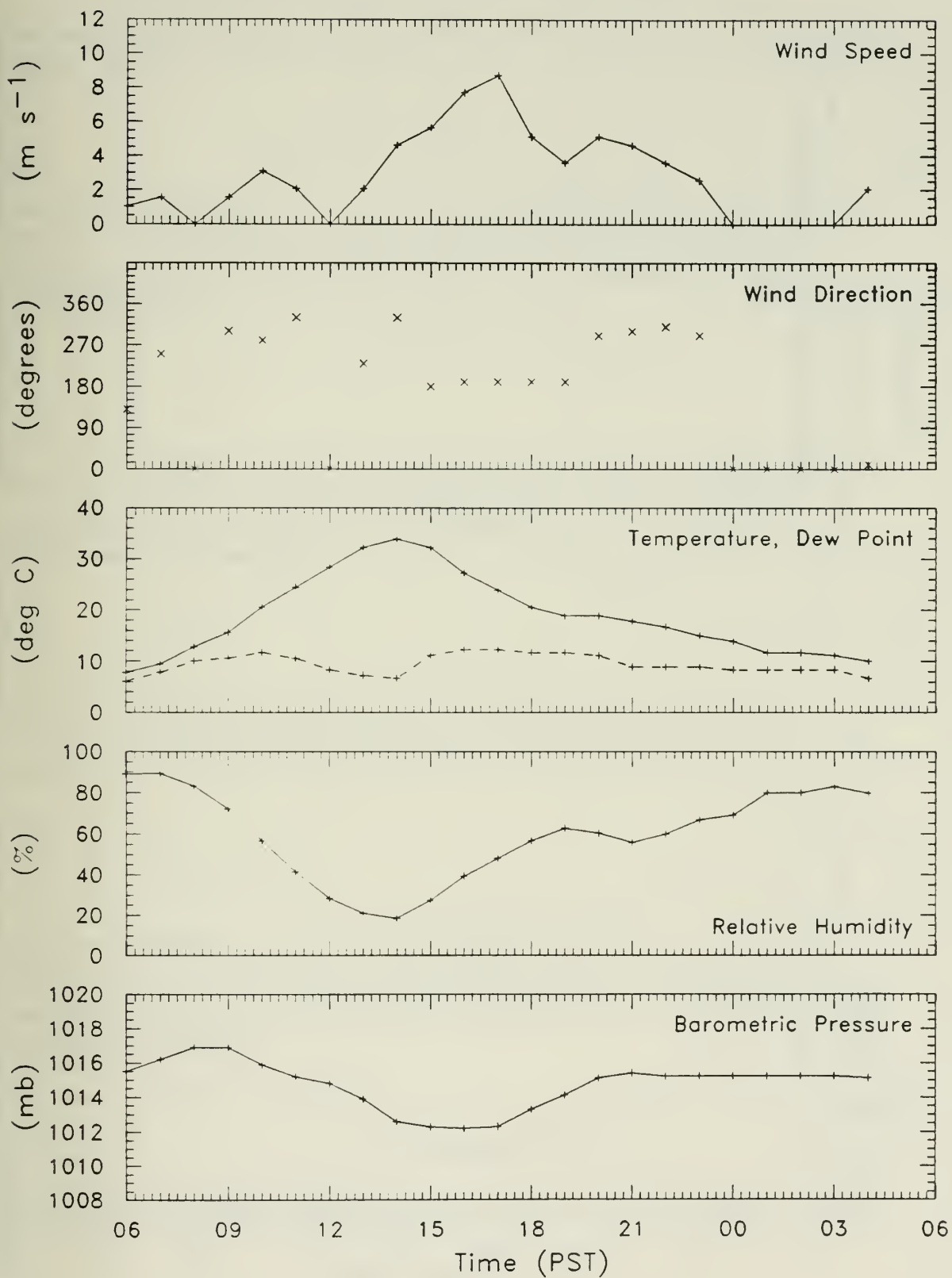
Paso Robles Airport - 16 Sept 1987



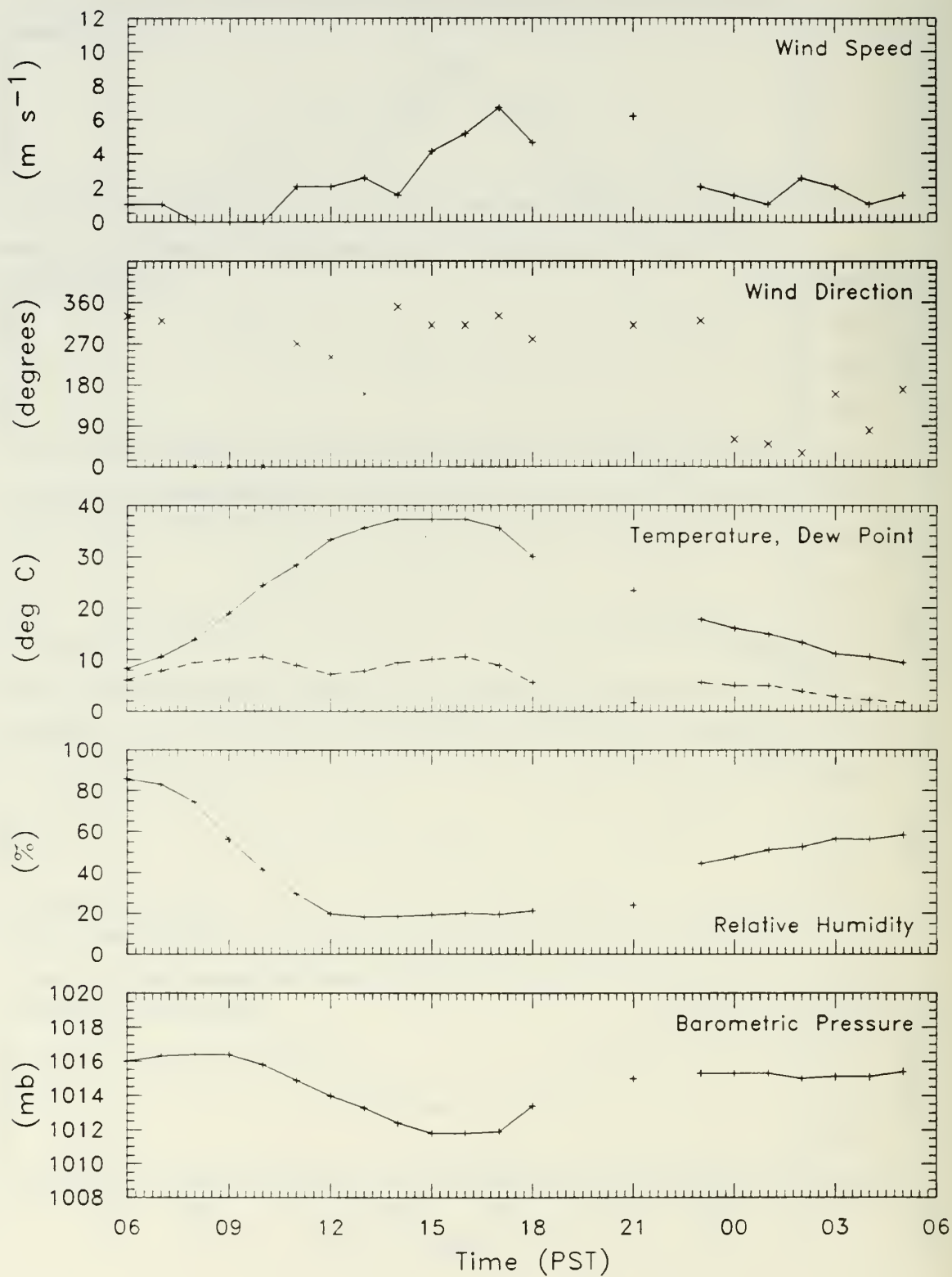
Paso Robles Airport - 17 Sept 1987



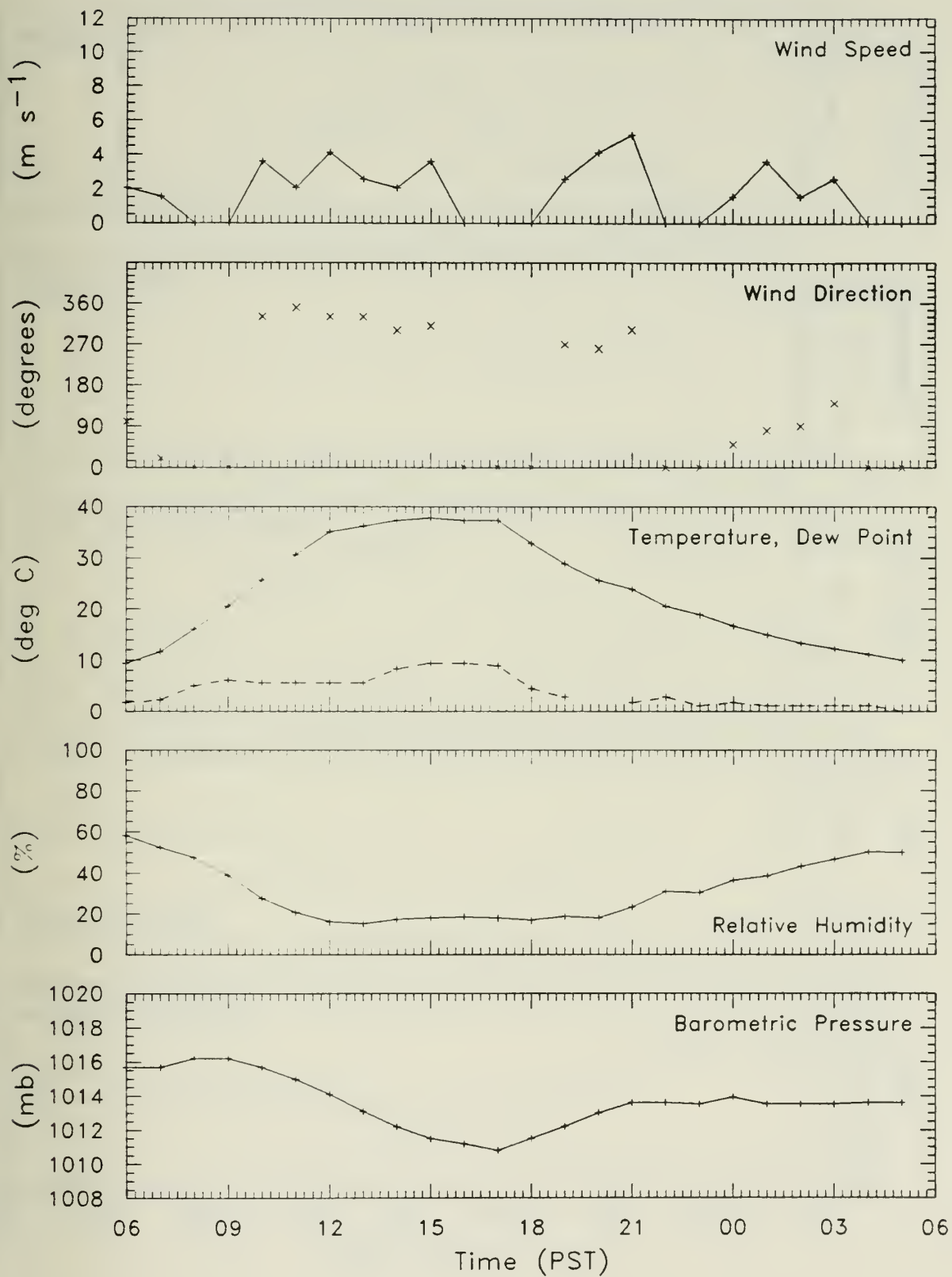
Paso Robles Airport - 18 Sept 1987



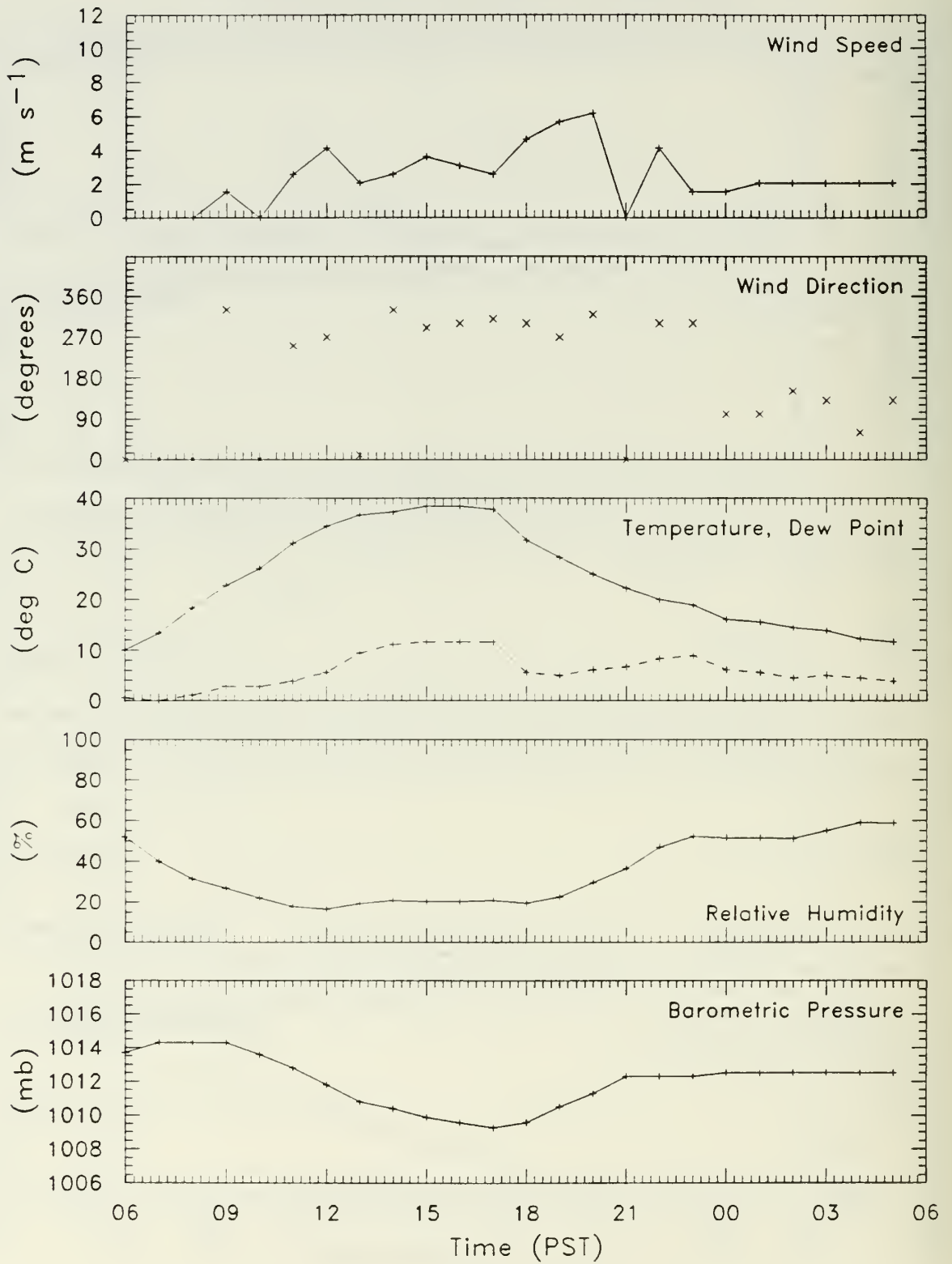
Paso Robles Airport - 19 Sept 1987



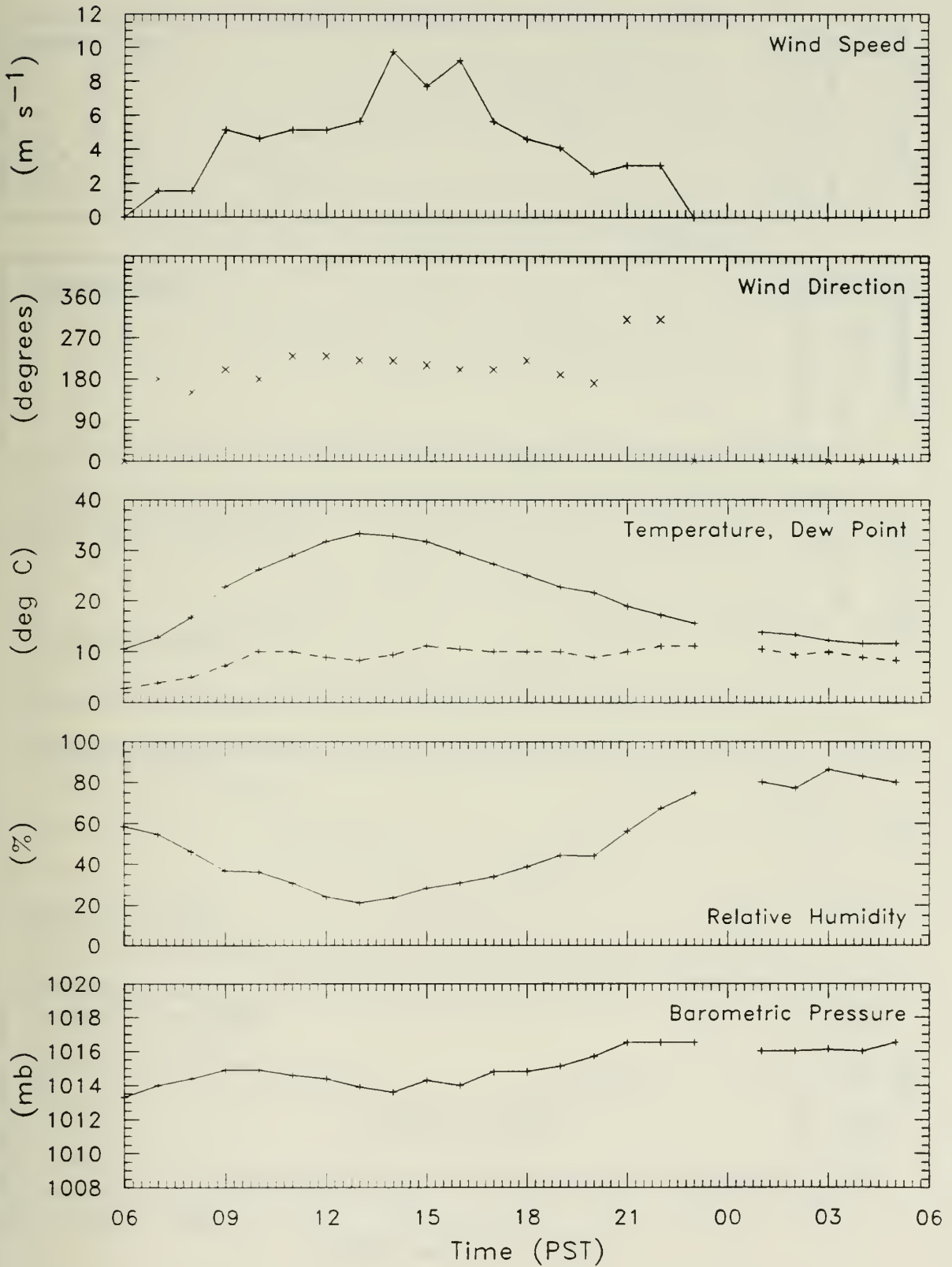
Paso Robles Airport - 20 Sept 1987



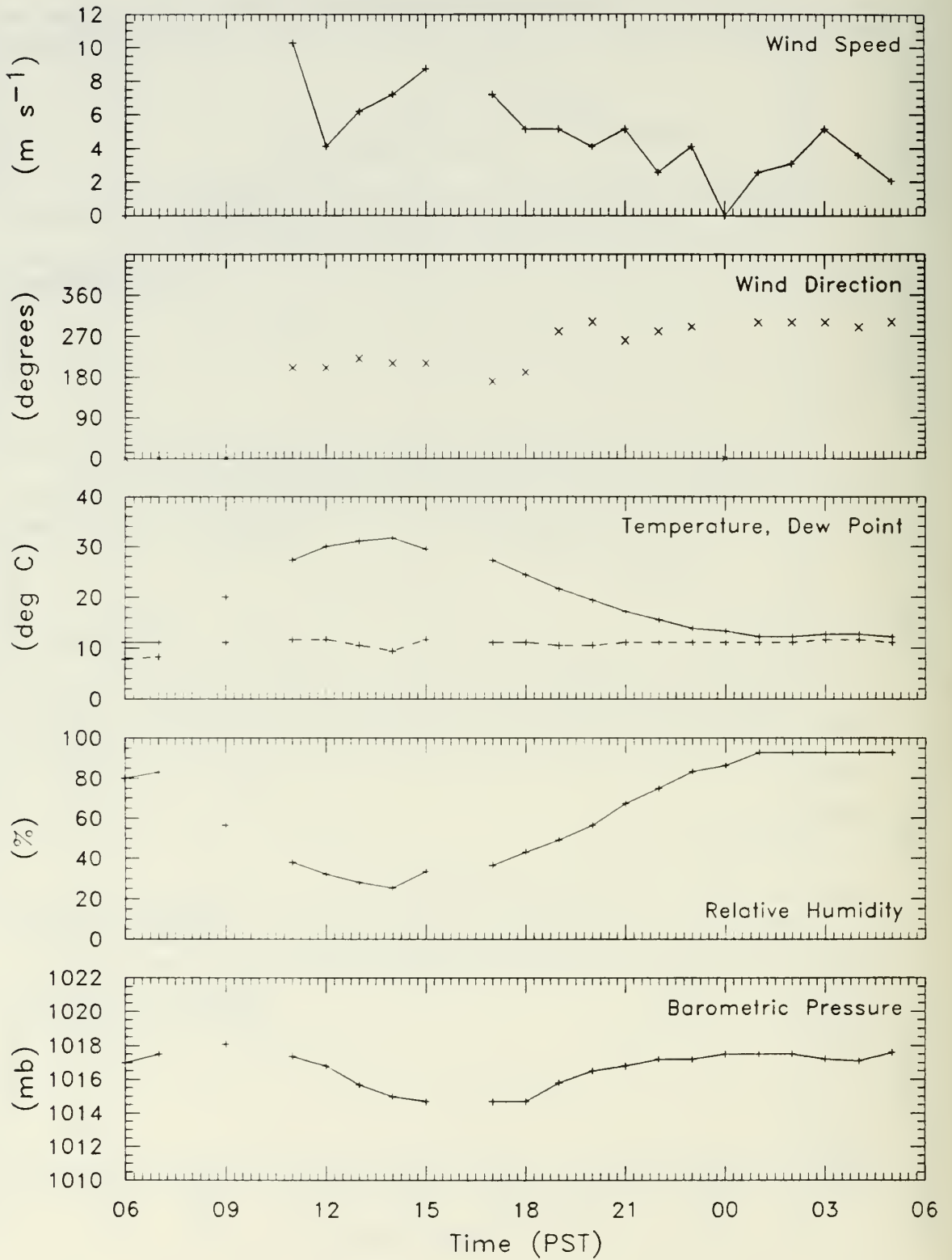
Paso Robles Airport - 21 Sept 1987



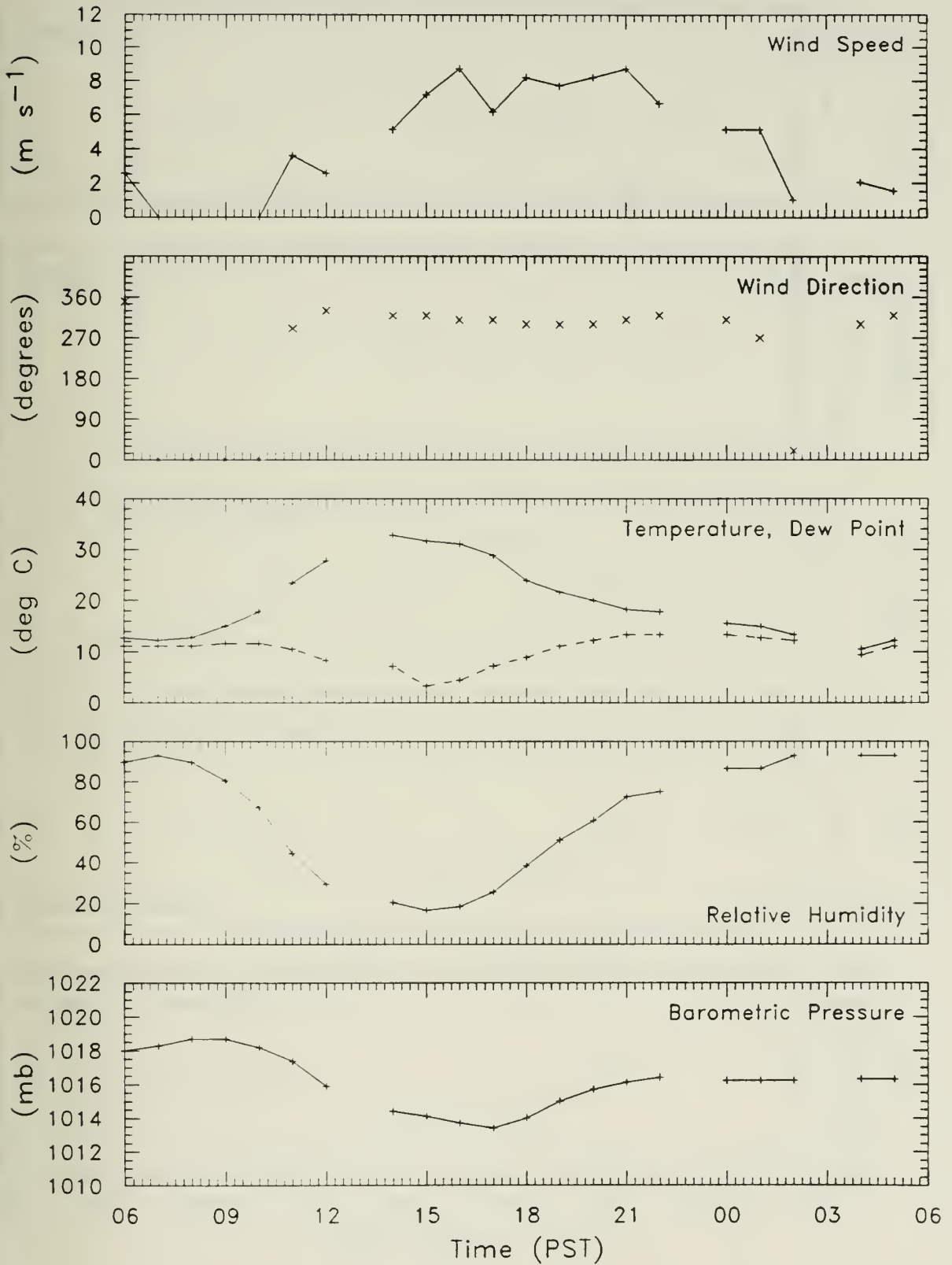
Paso Robles Airport - 22 Sept 1987



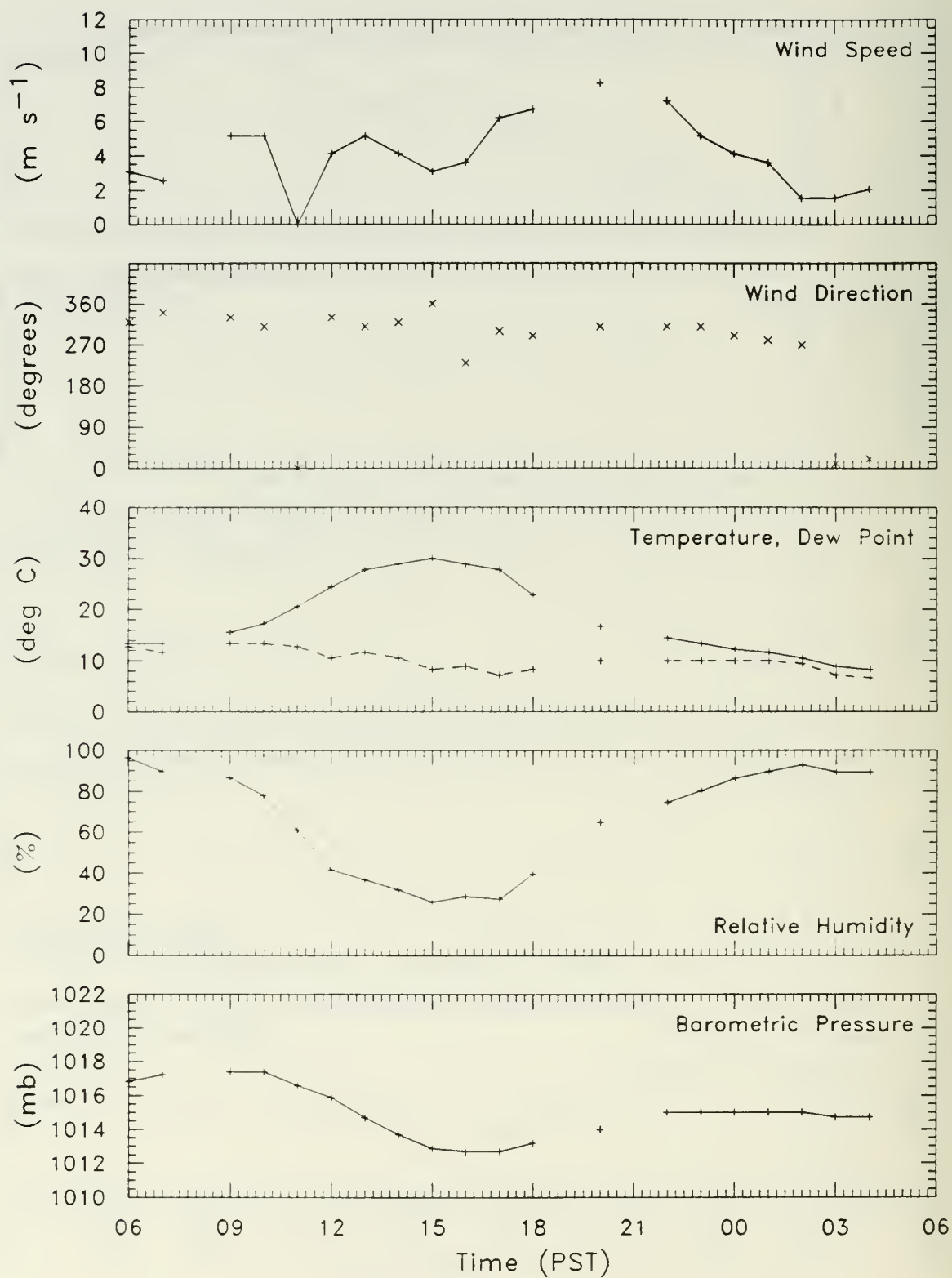
Paso Robles Airport - 23 Sept 1987



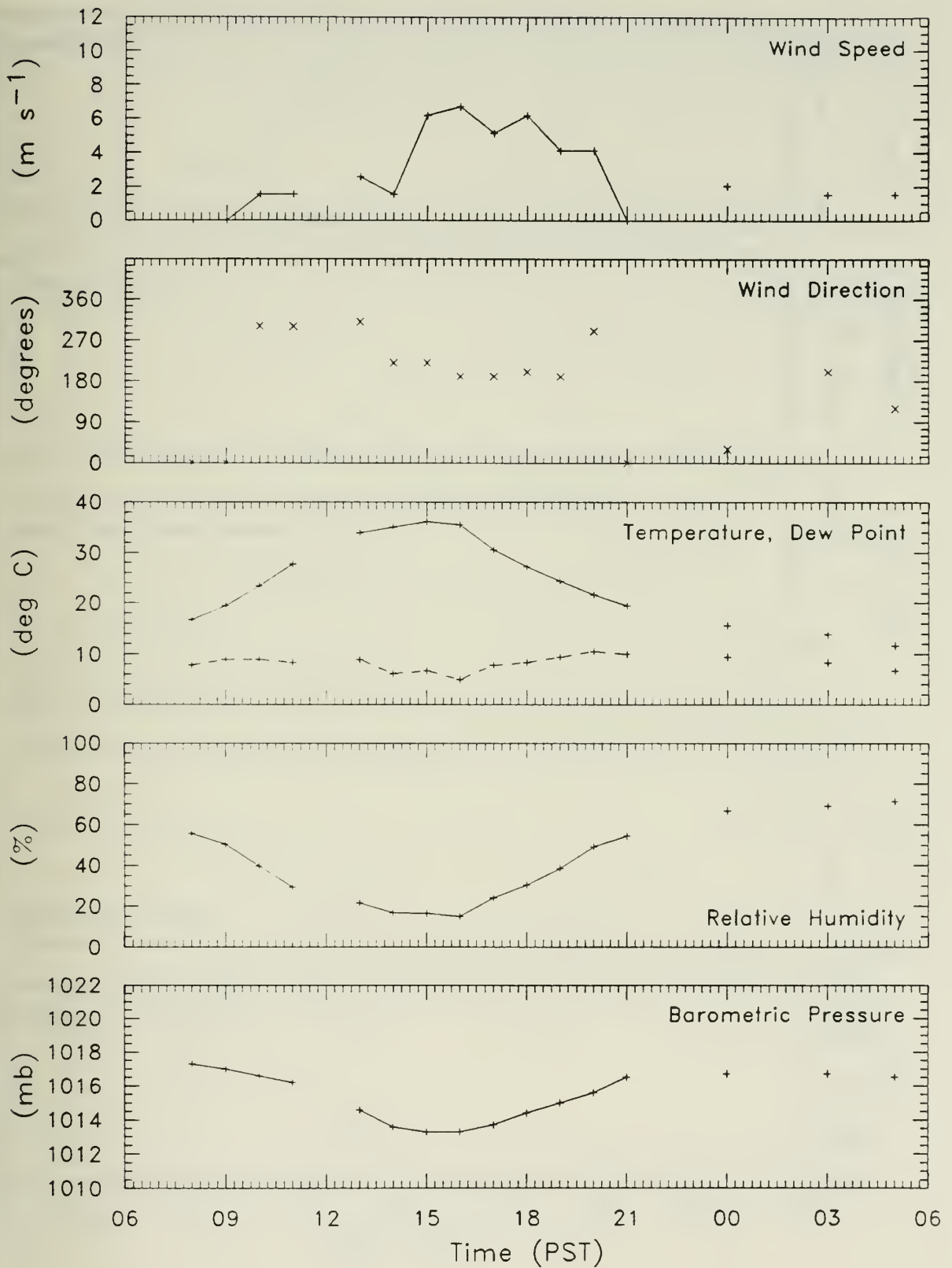
Paso Robles Airport - 24 Sept 1987



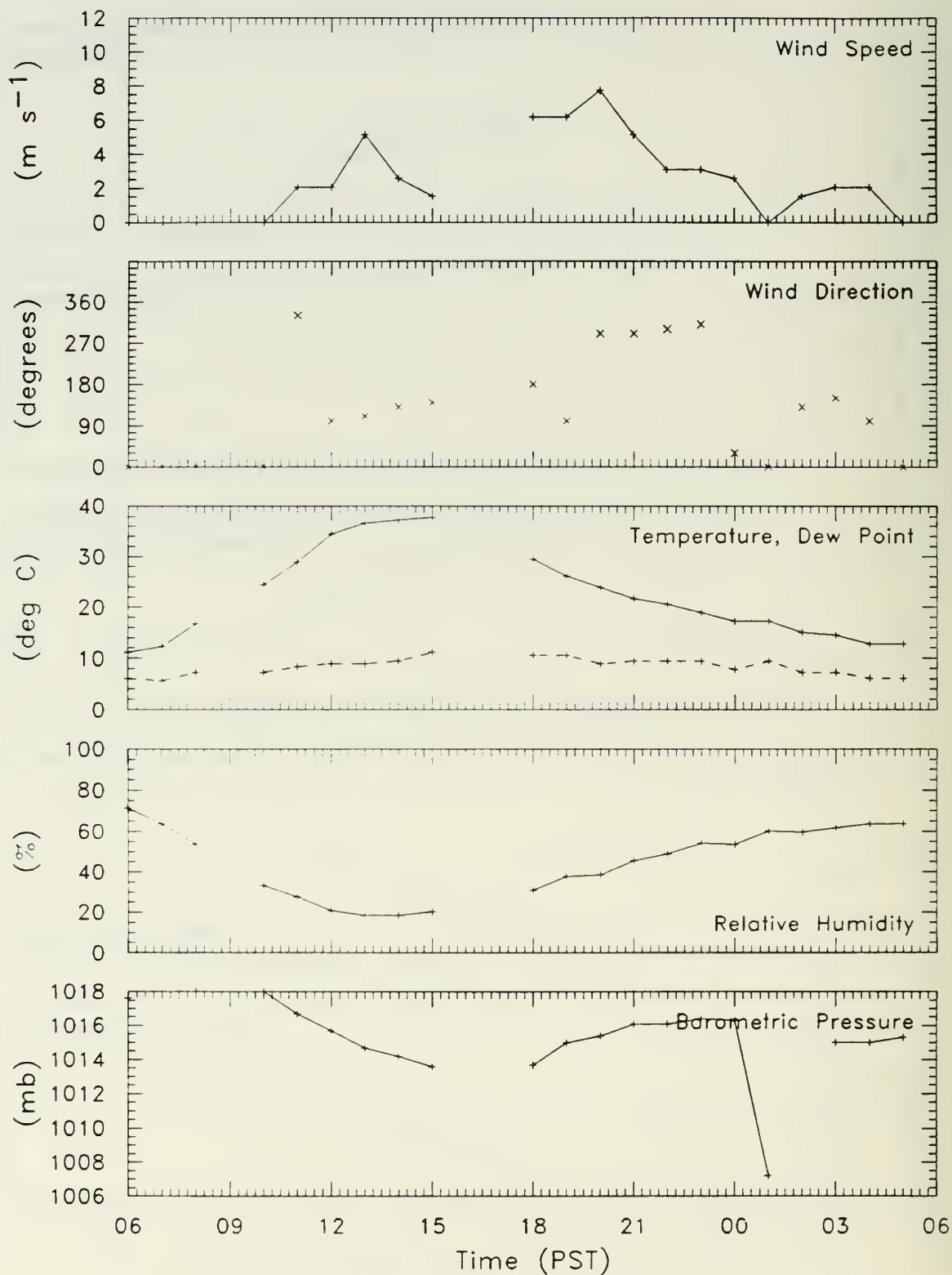
Paso Robles Airport - 25 Sept 1987



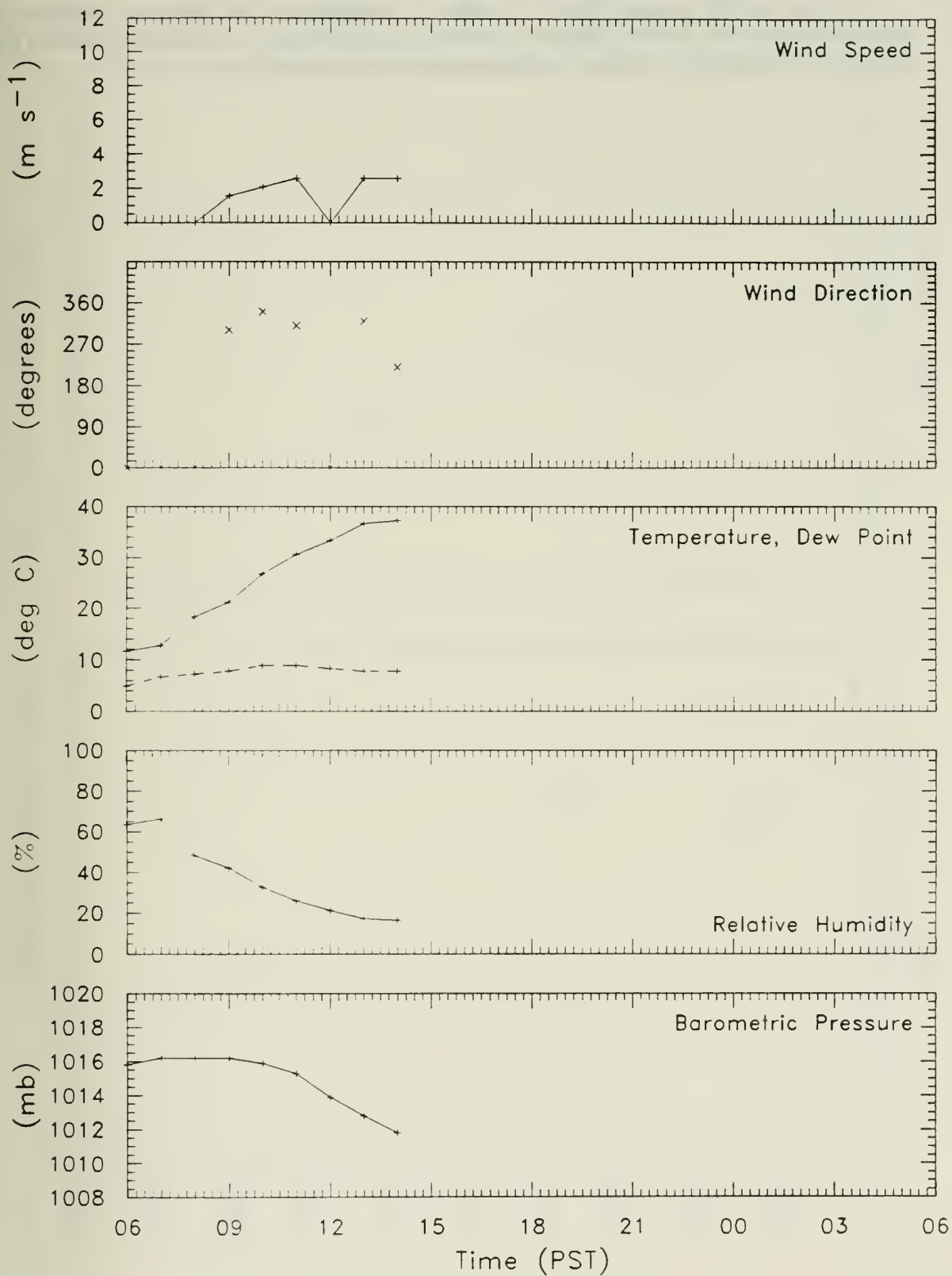
Paso Robles Airport - 28 Sept 1987



Paso Robles Airport - 29 Sept 1987



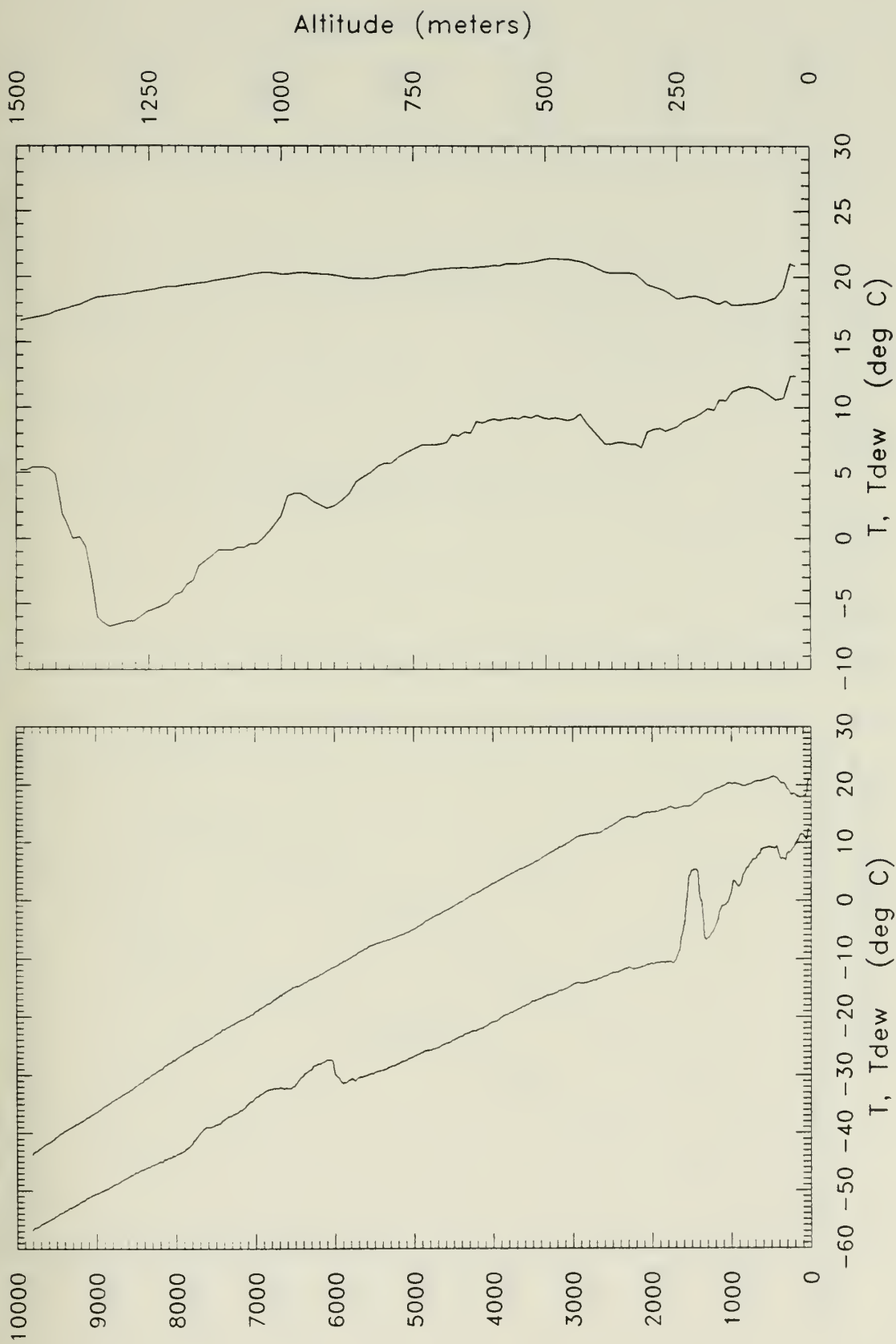
Paso Robles Airport - 30 Sept 1987



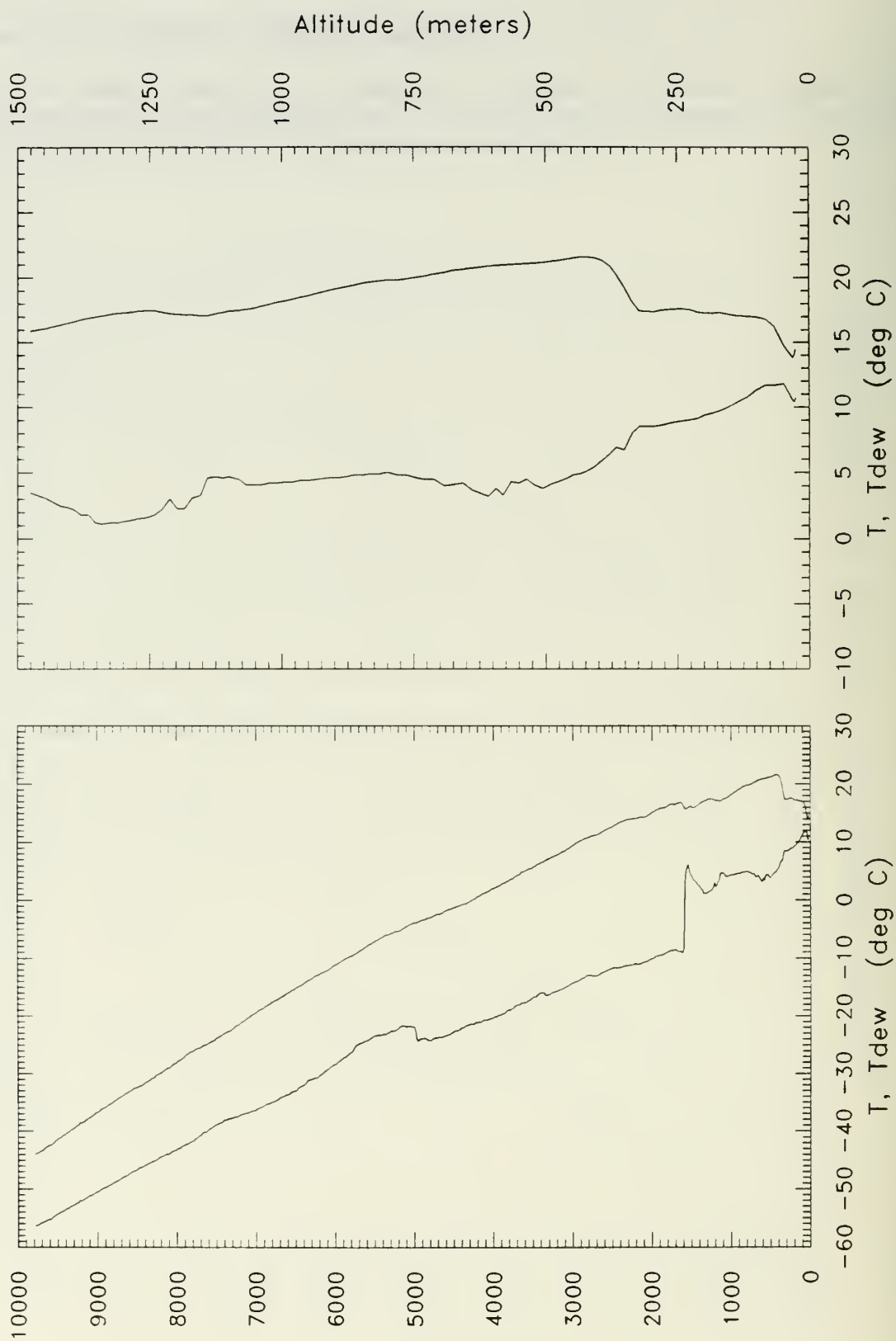
16. RADIOSONDE PROFILES, PRIMARY SODAR SITE

This section presents the 27 profiles of temperature and dewpoint collected by radiosondes launched from the northern vertex of the sodar triangle. The left panel for each page contains the a profile in its entirety. The right expands the lowest 1500 m.

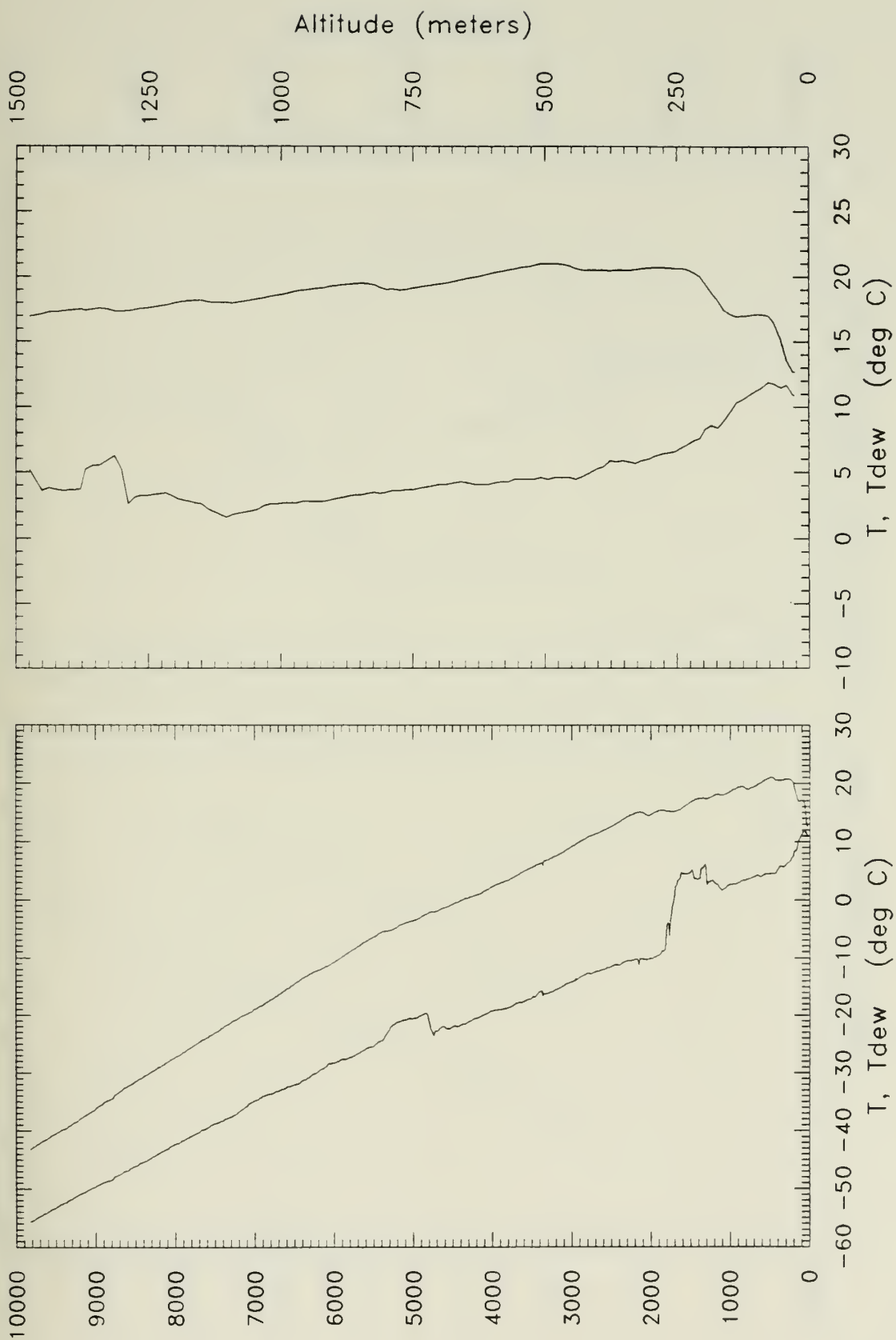
Primary SODAR Site - 16 SEP 87 15:39 PST



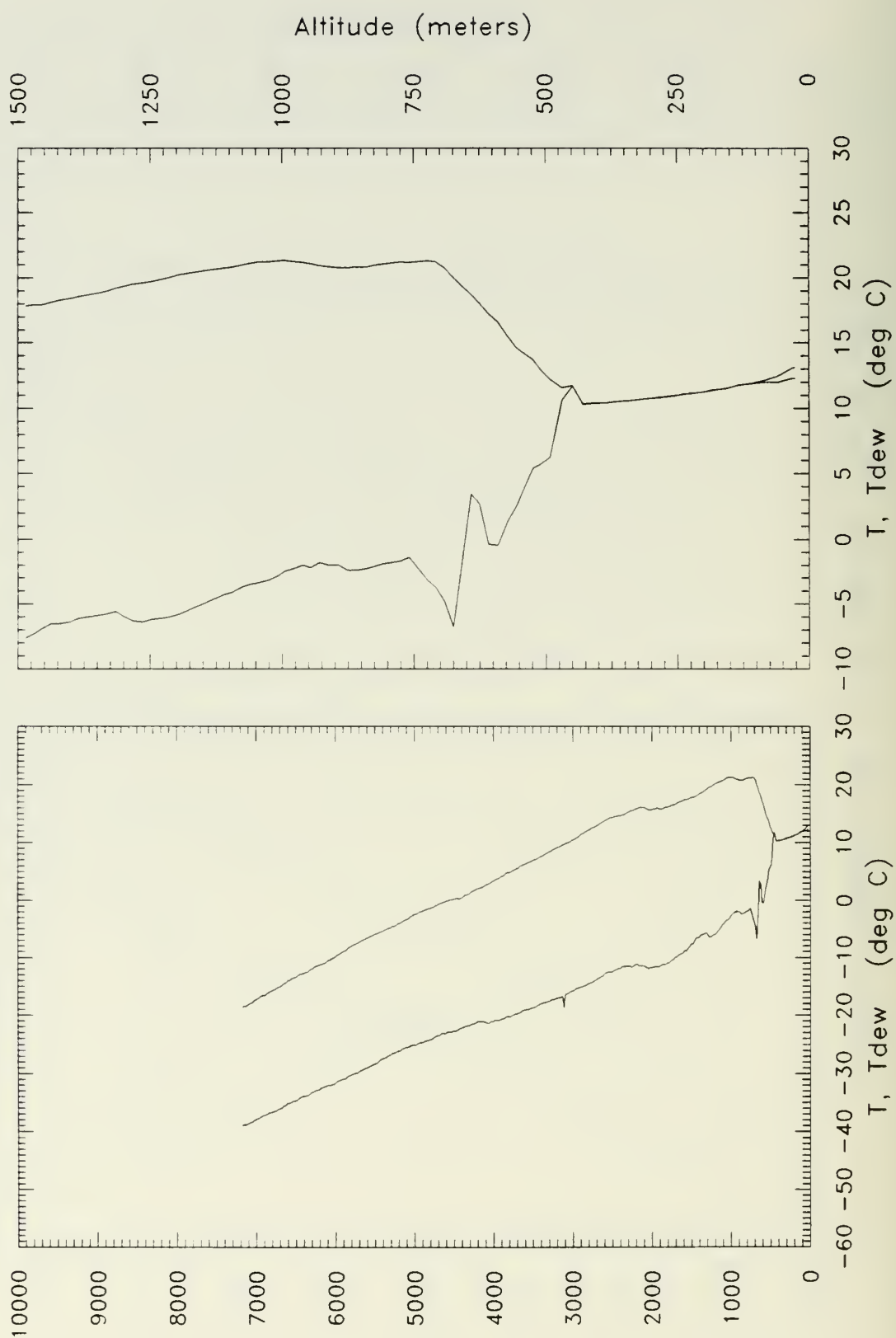
Primary SODAR Site - 16 SEP 87 20:32 PST



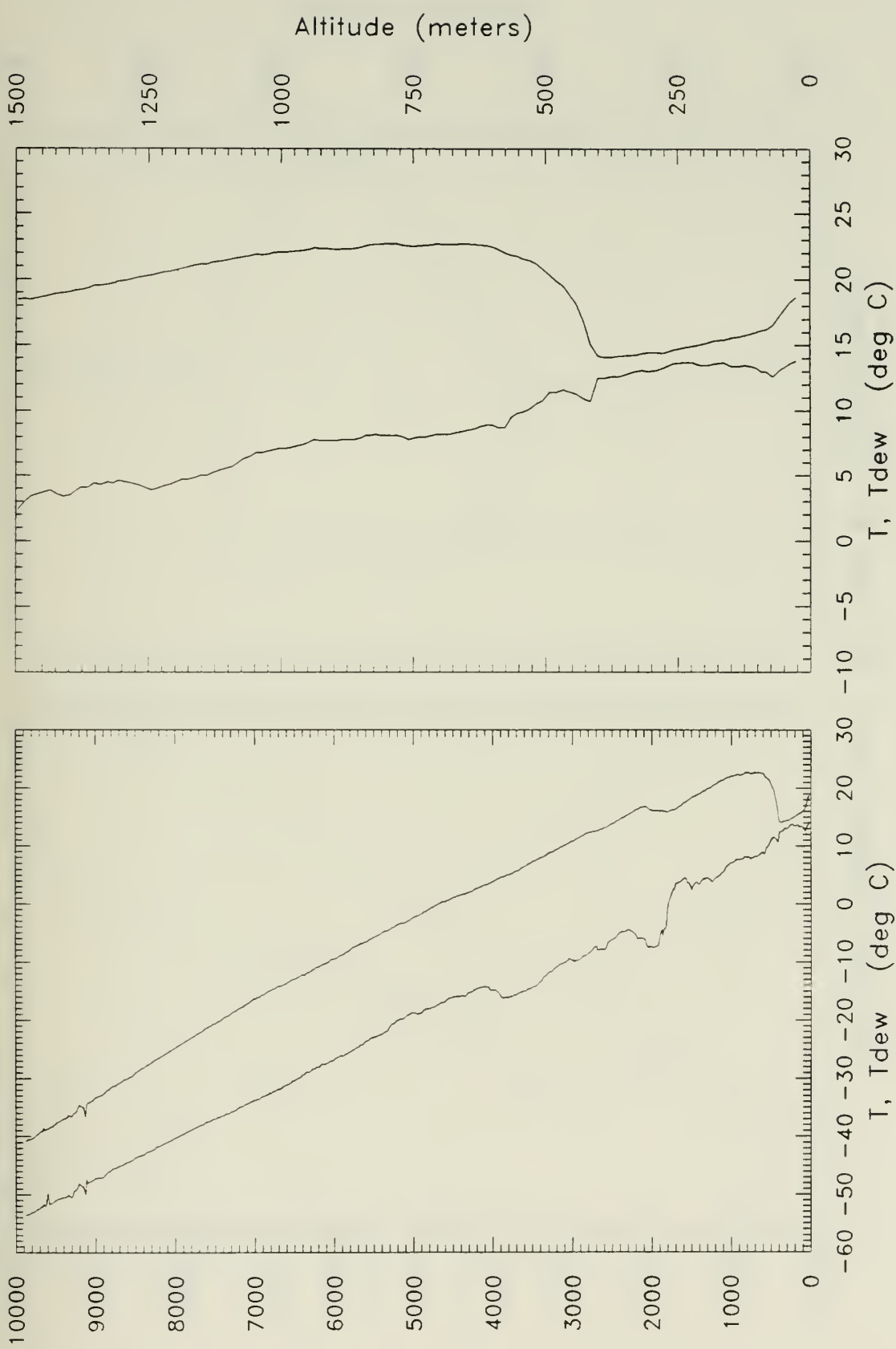
Primary SODAR Site - 16 SEP 87 22:15 PST



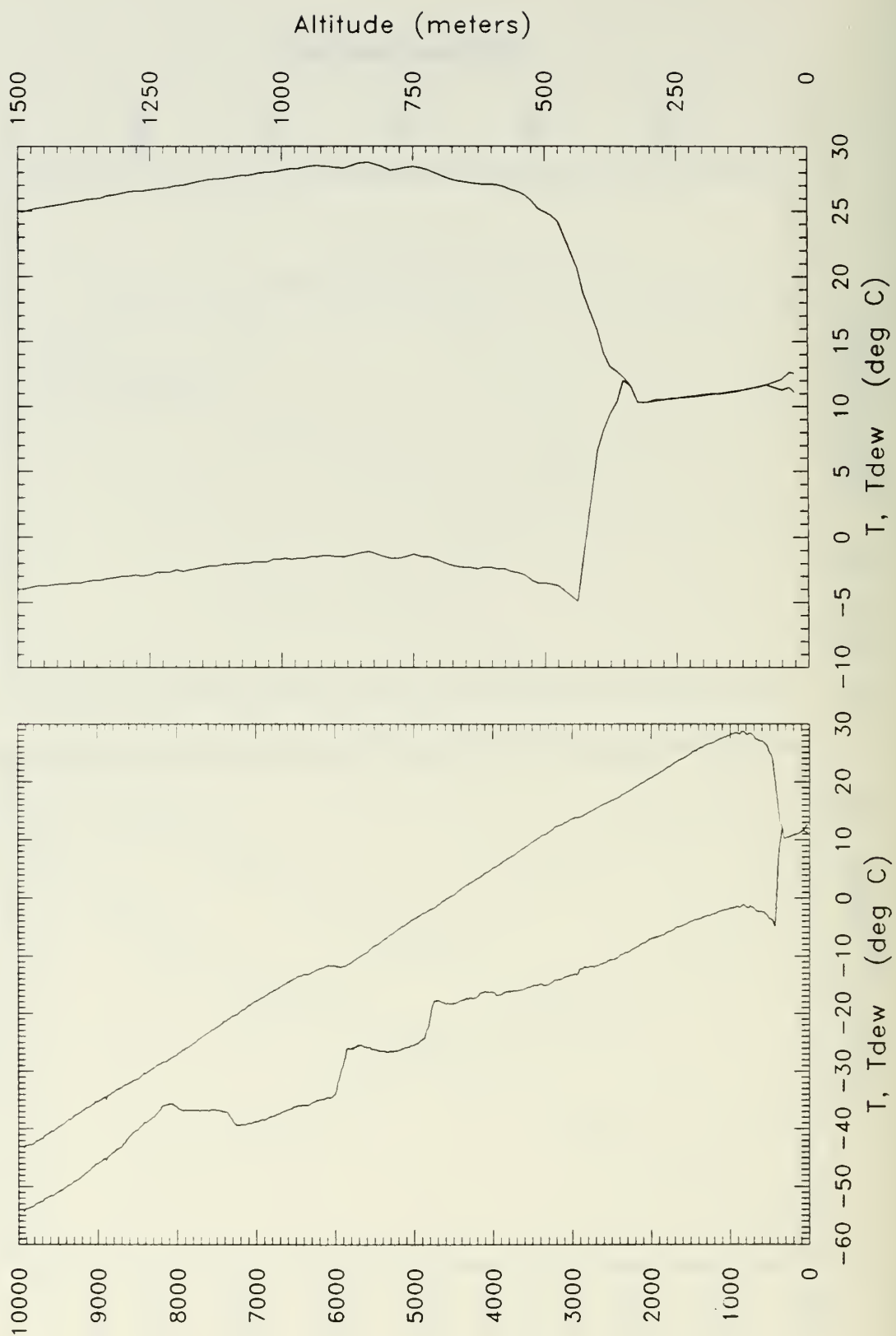
Primary SODAR Site - 18 SEP 87 07:44 PST



Primary SODAR Site - 18 SEP 87 10:32 PST



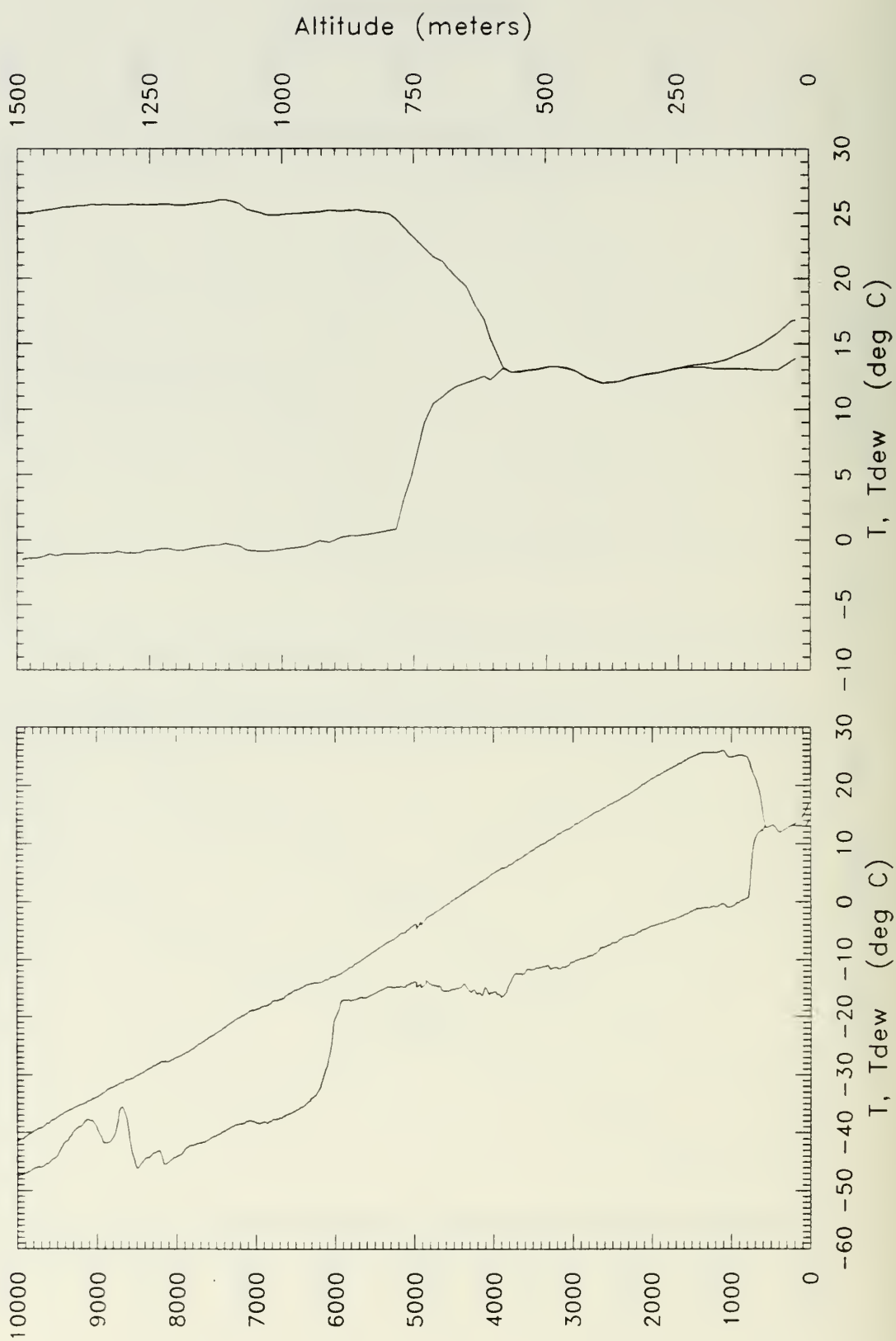
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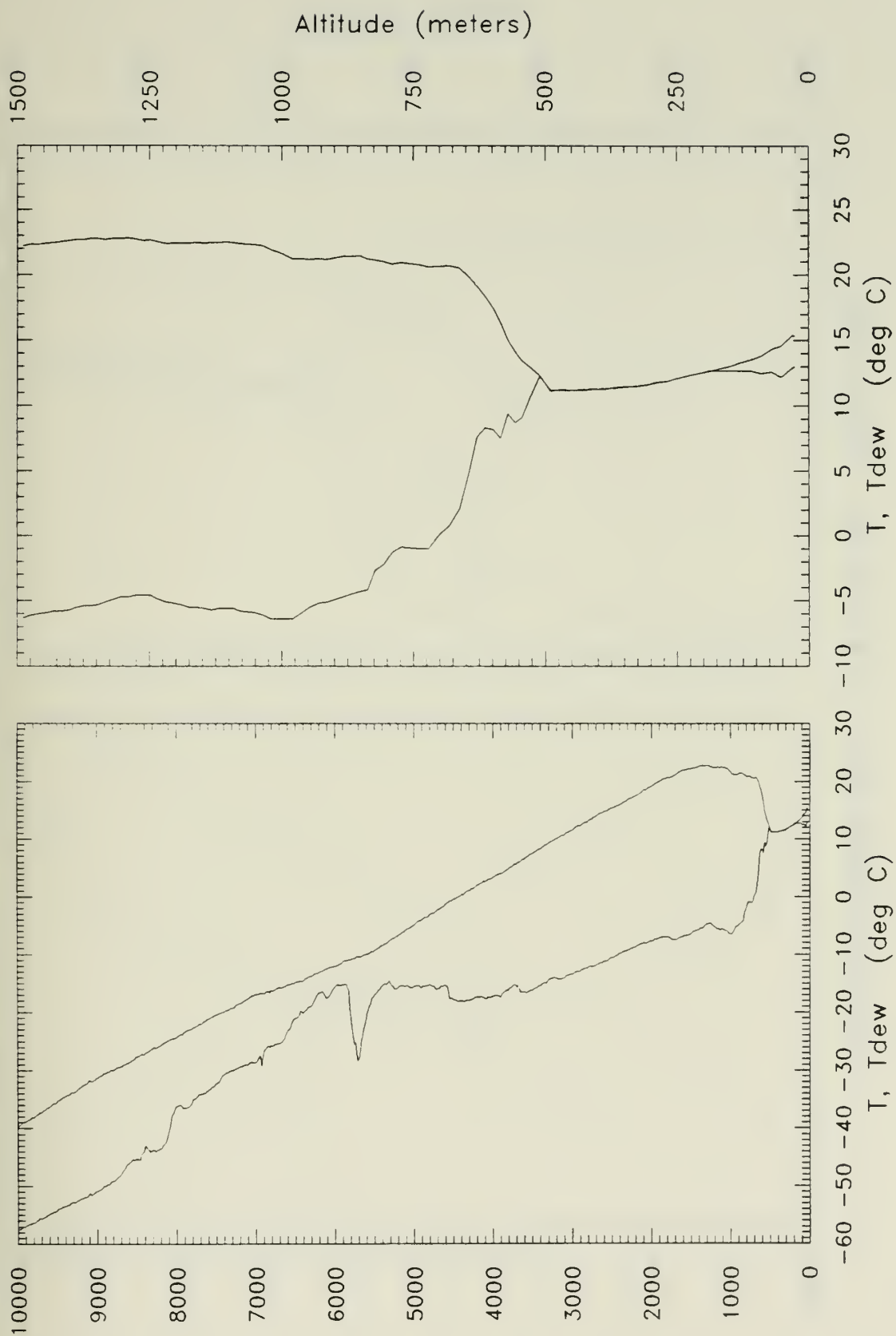
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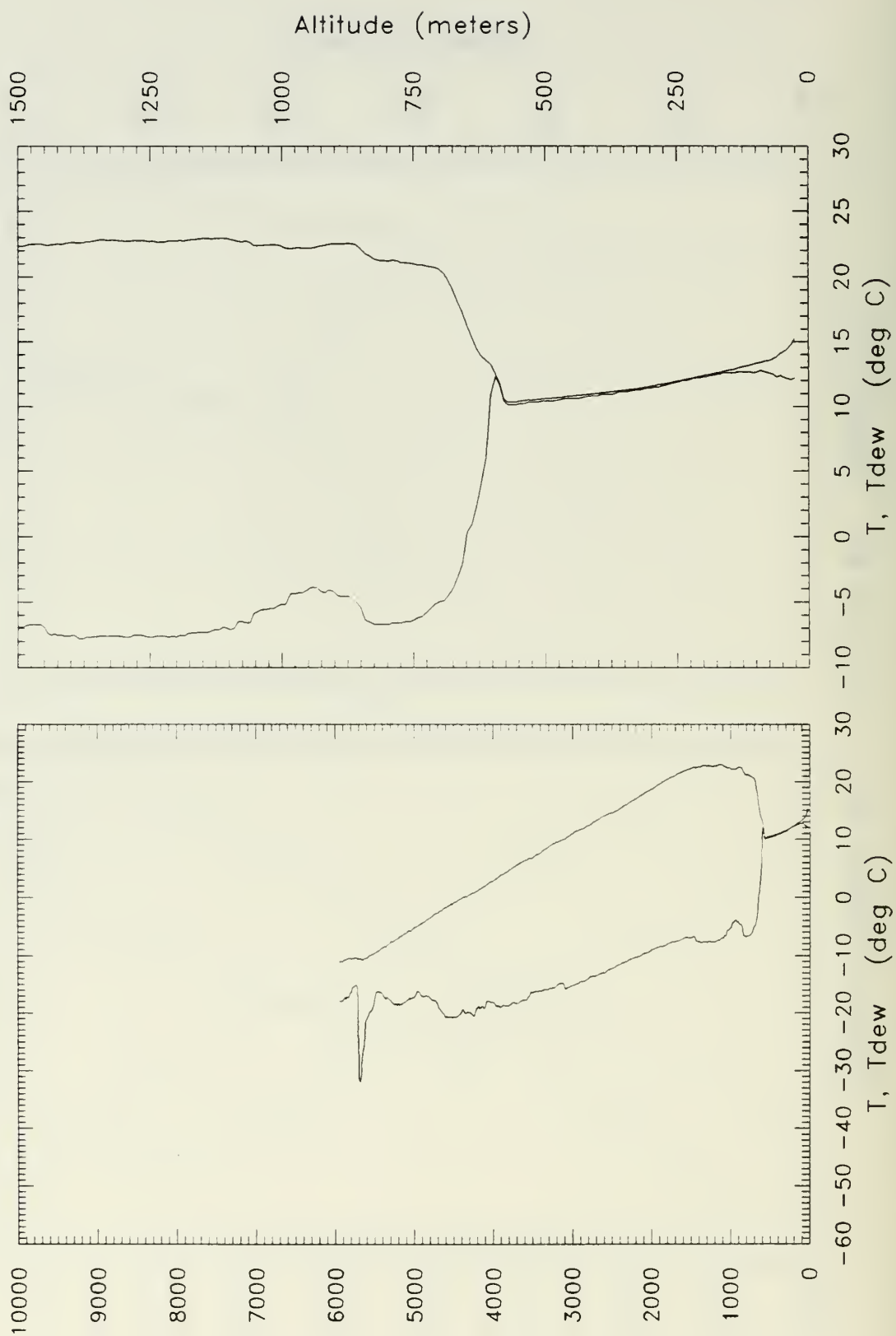
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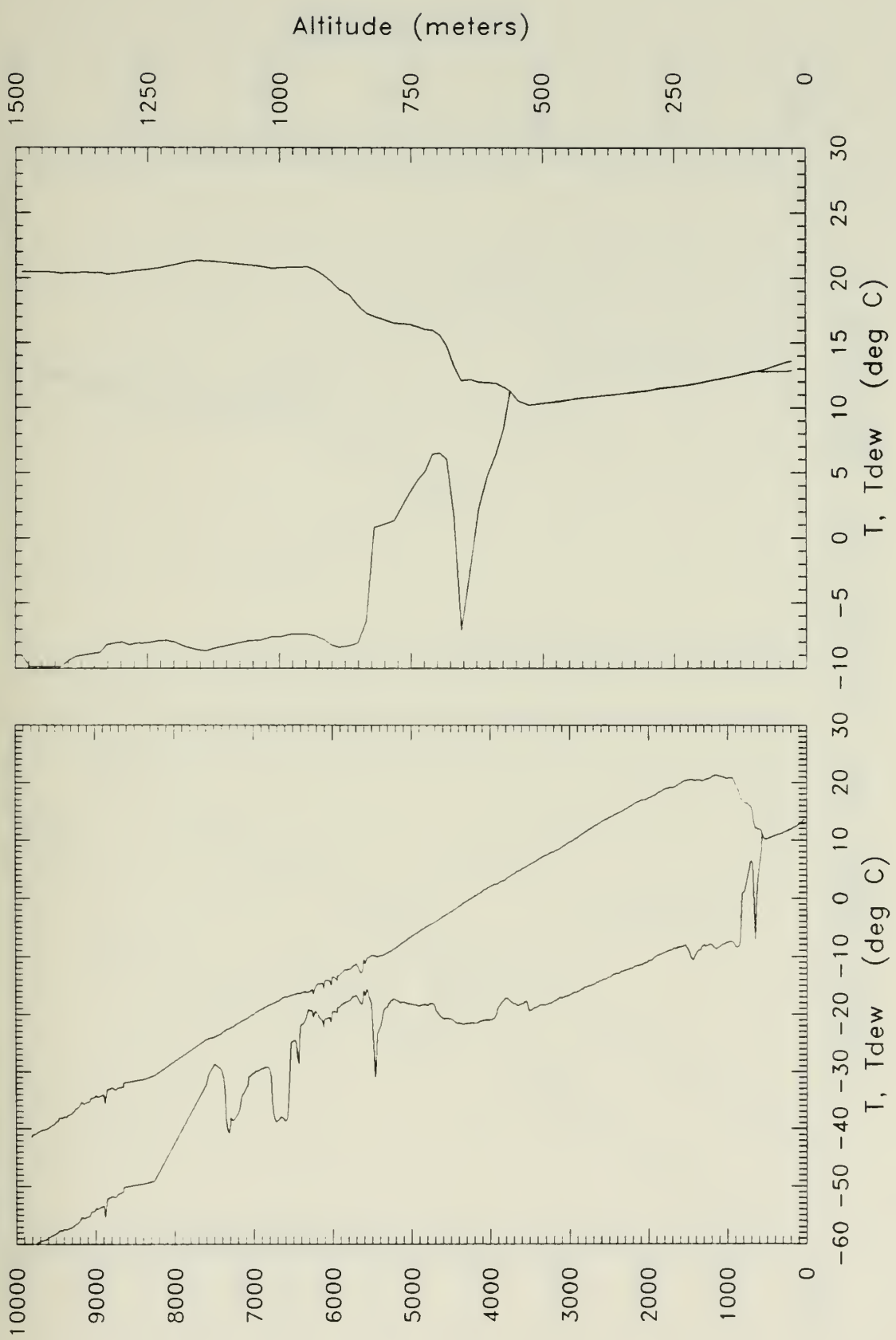
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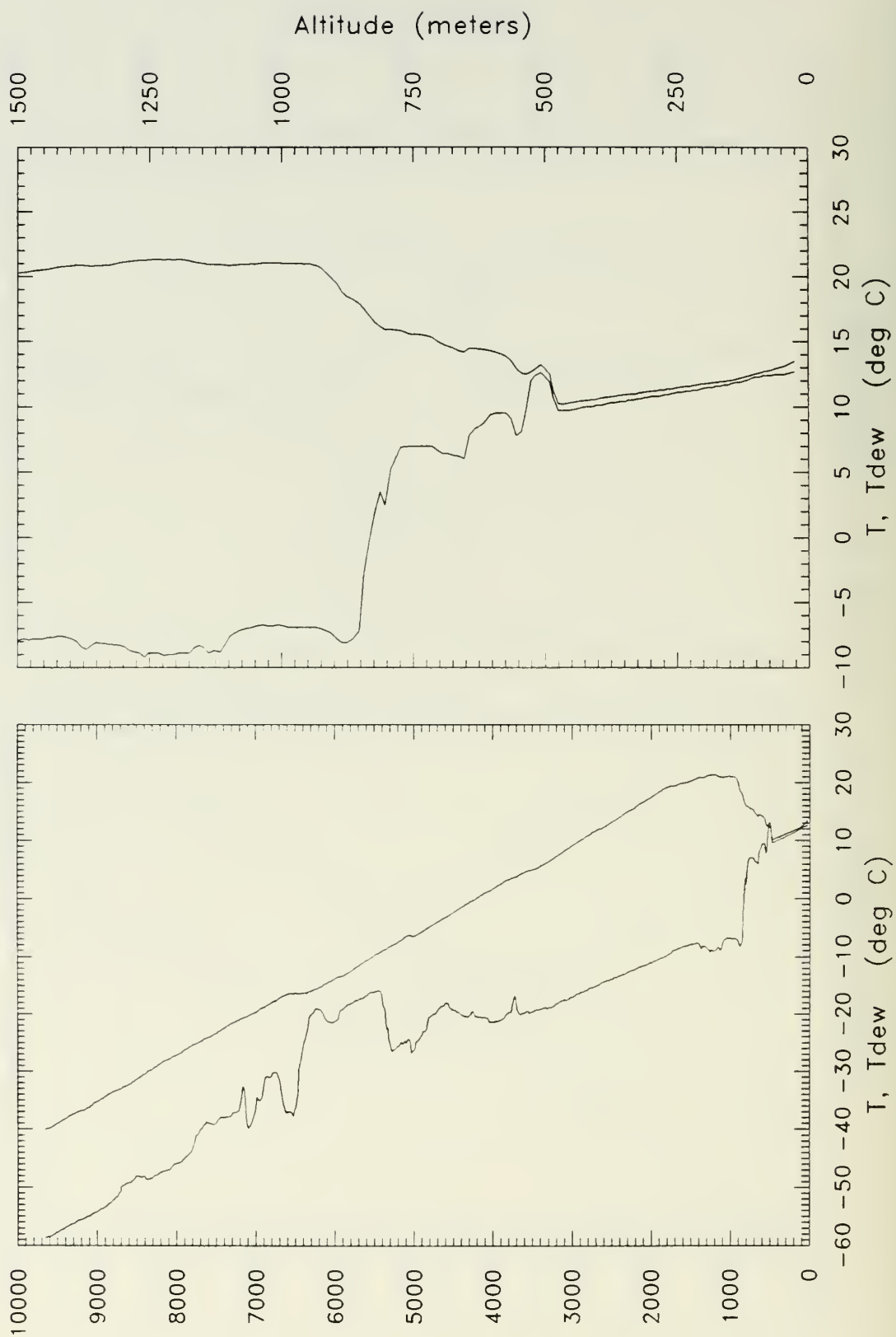
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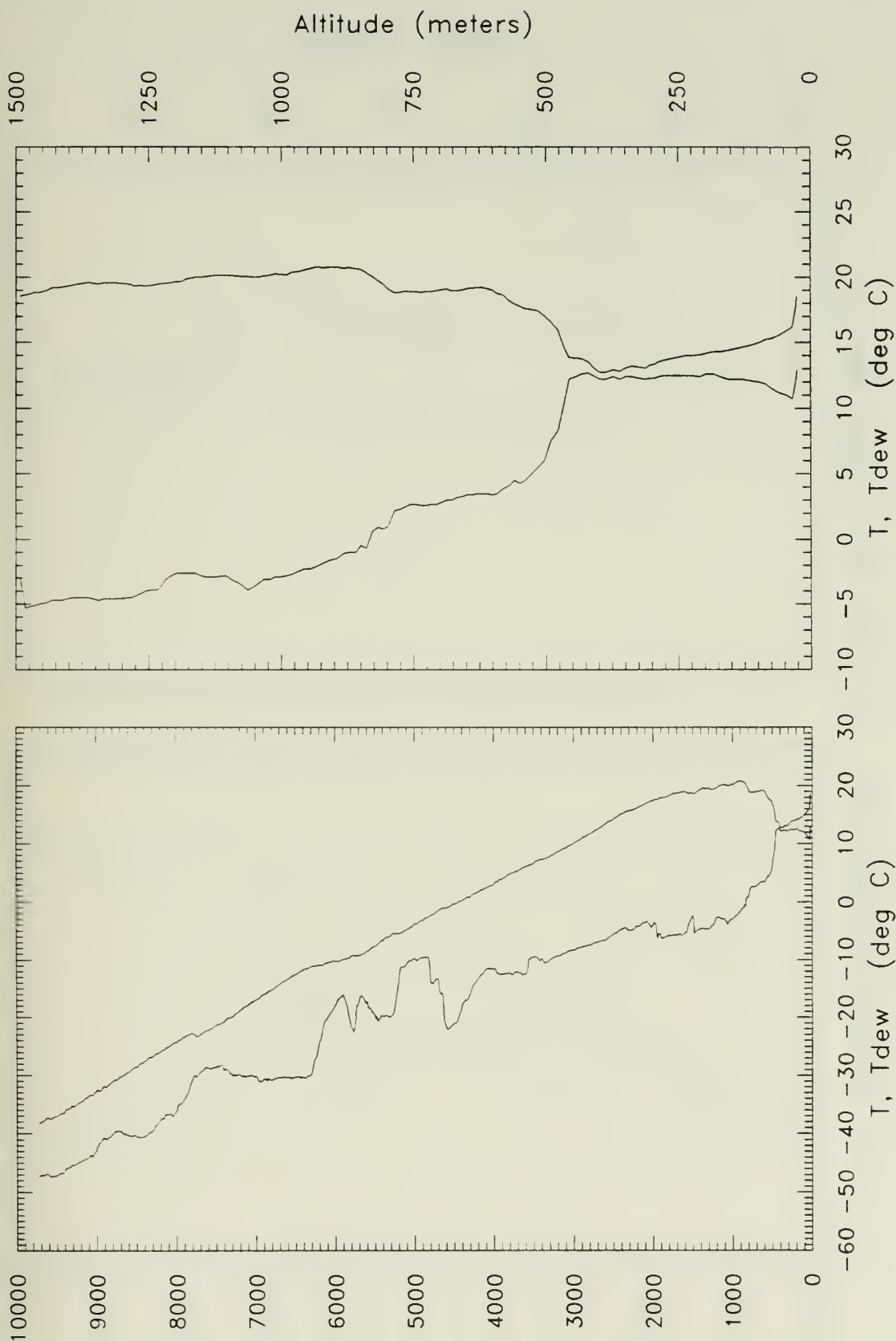
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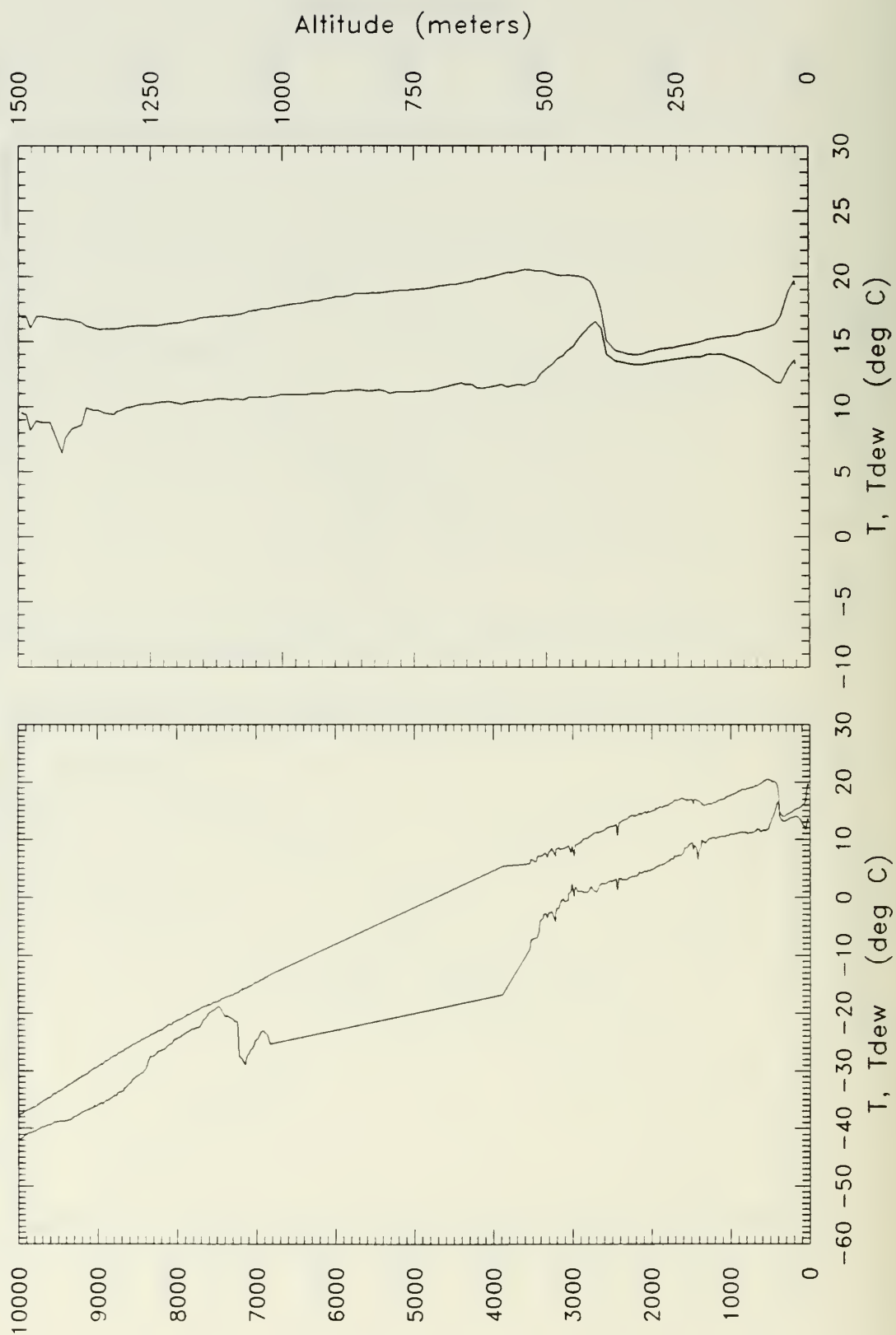
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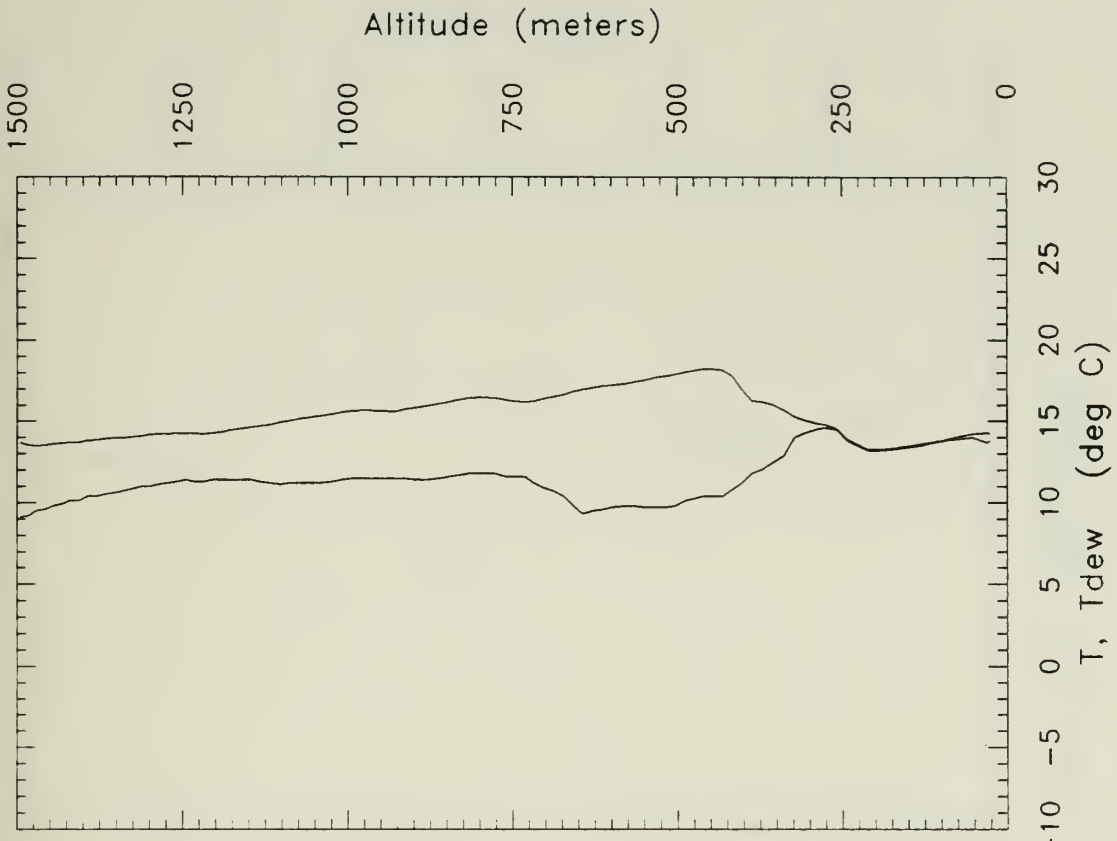
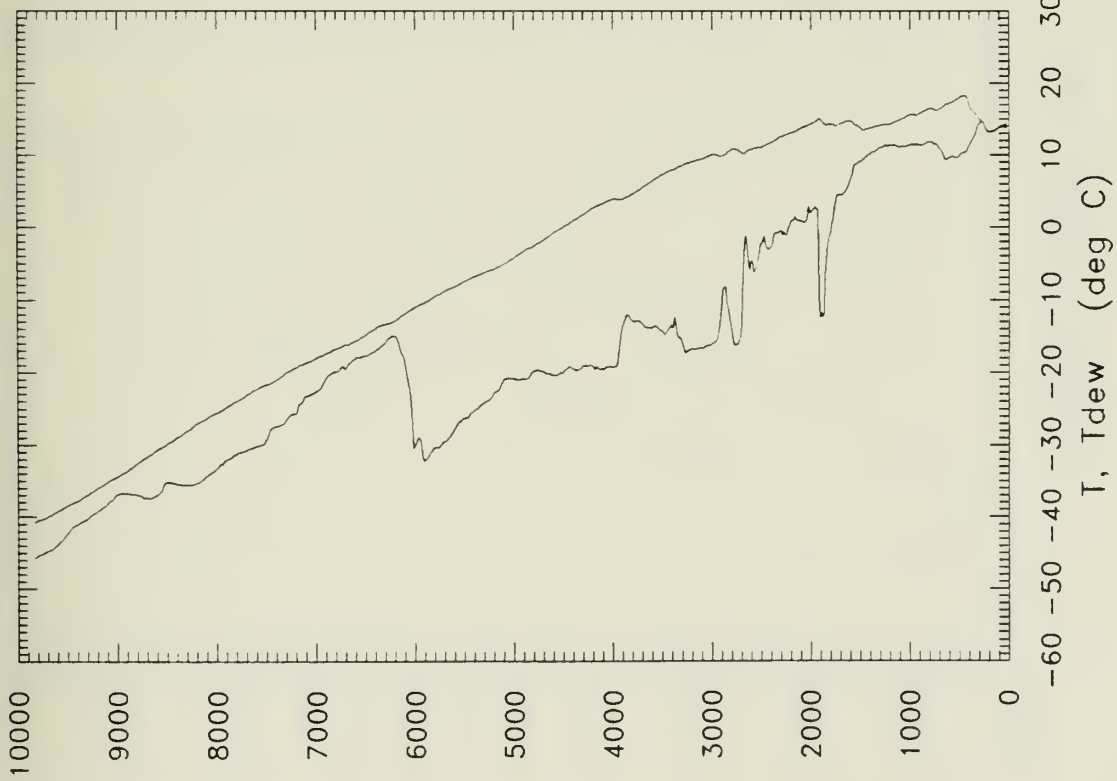
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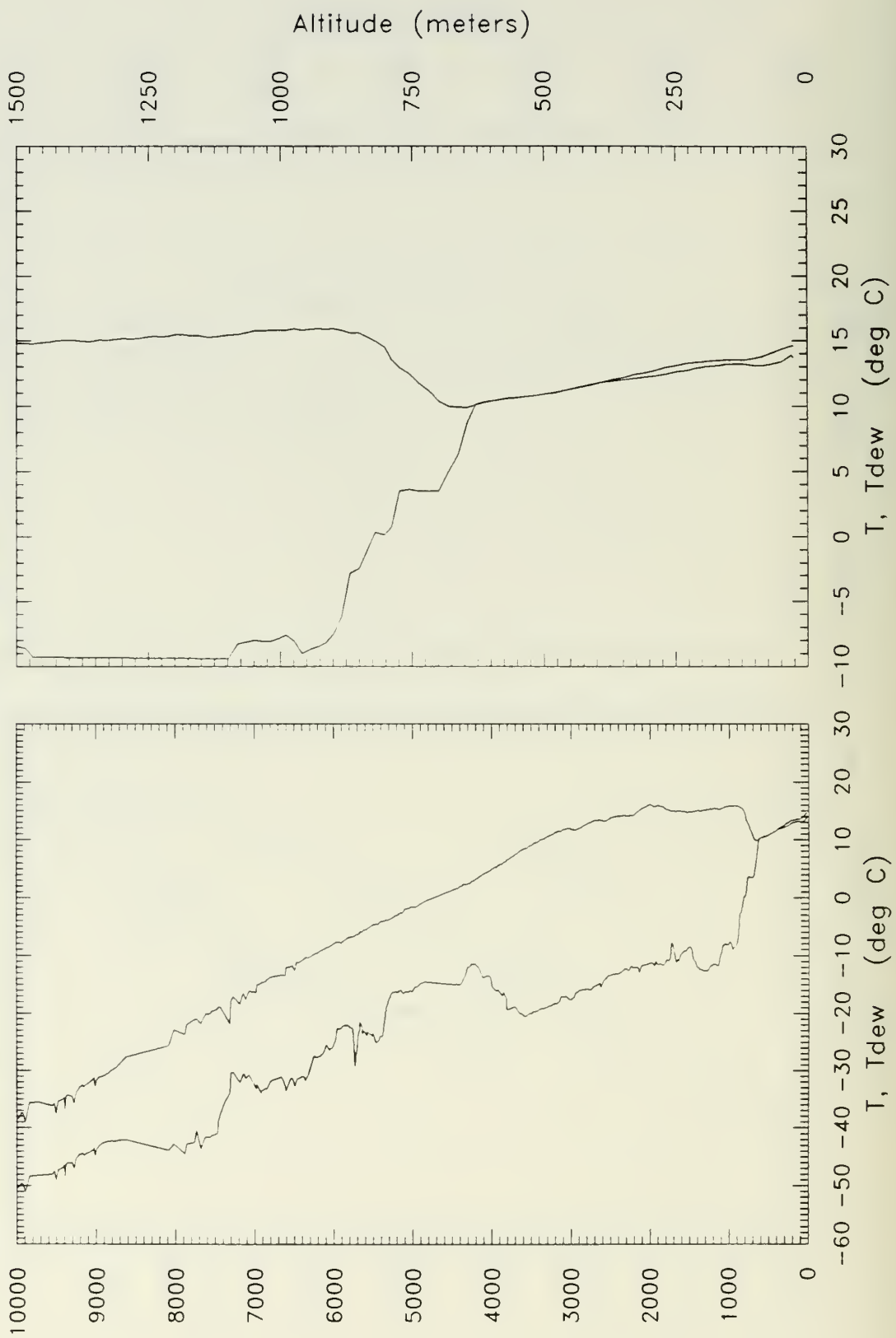
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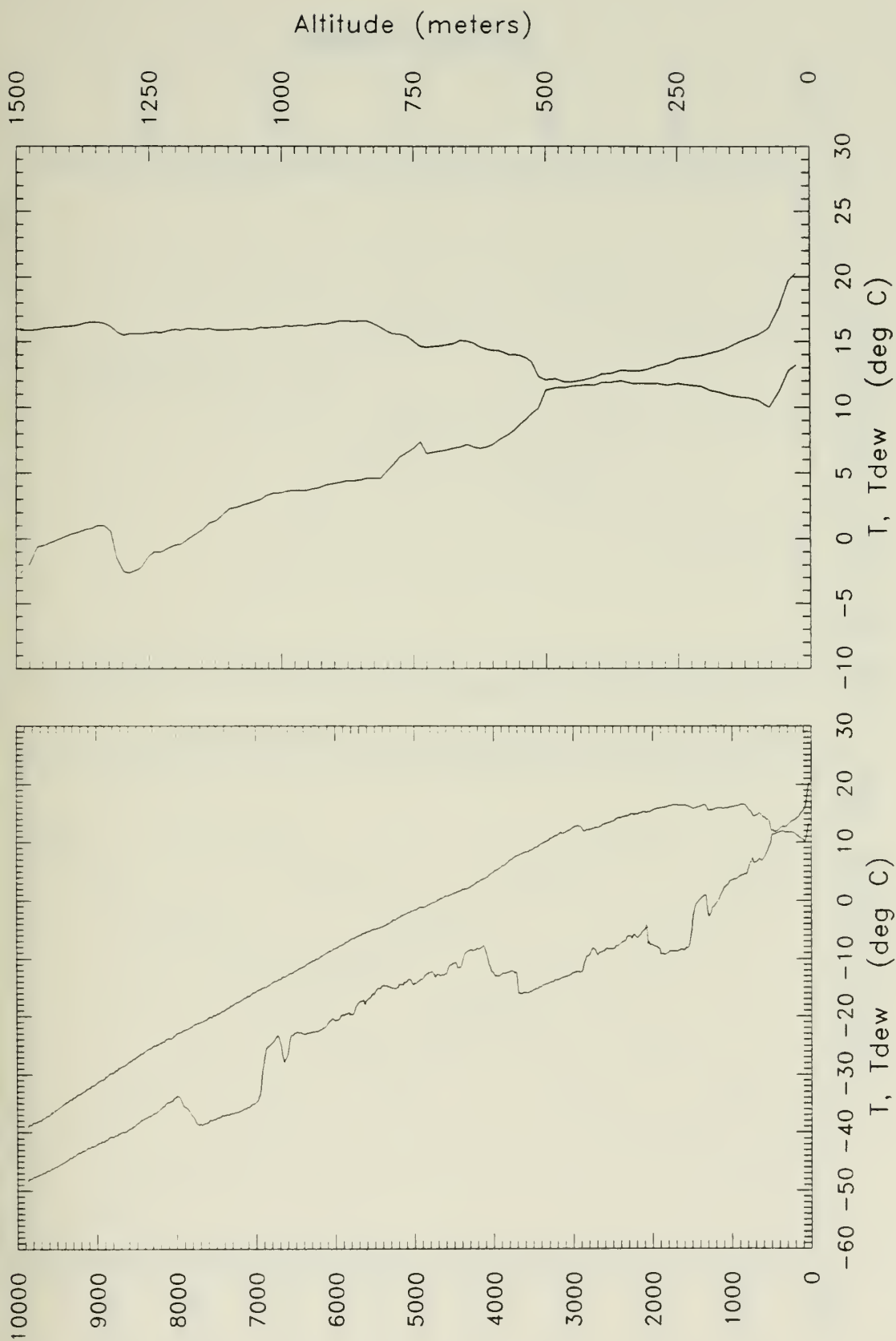
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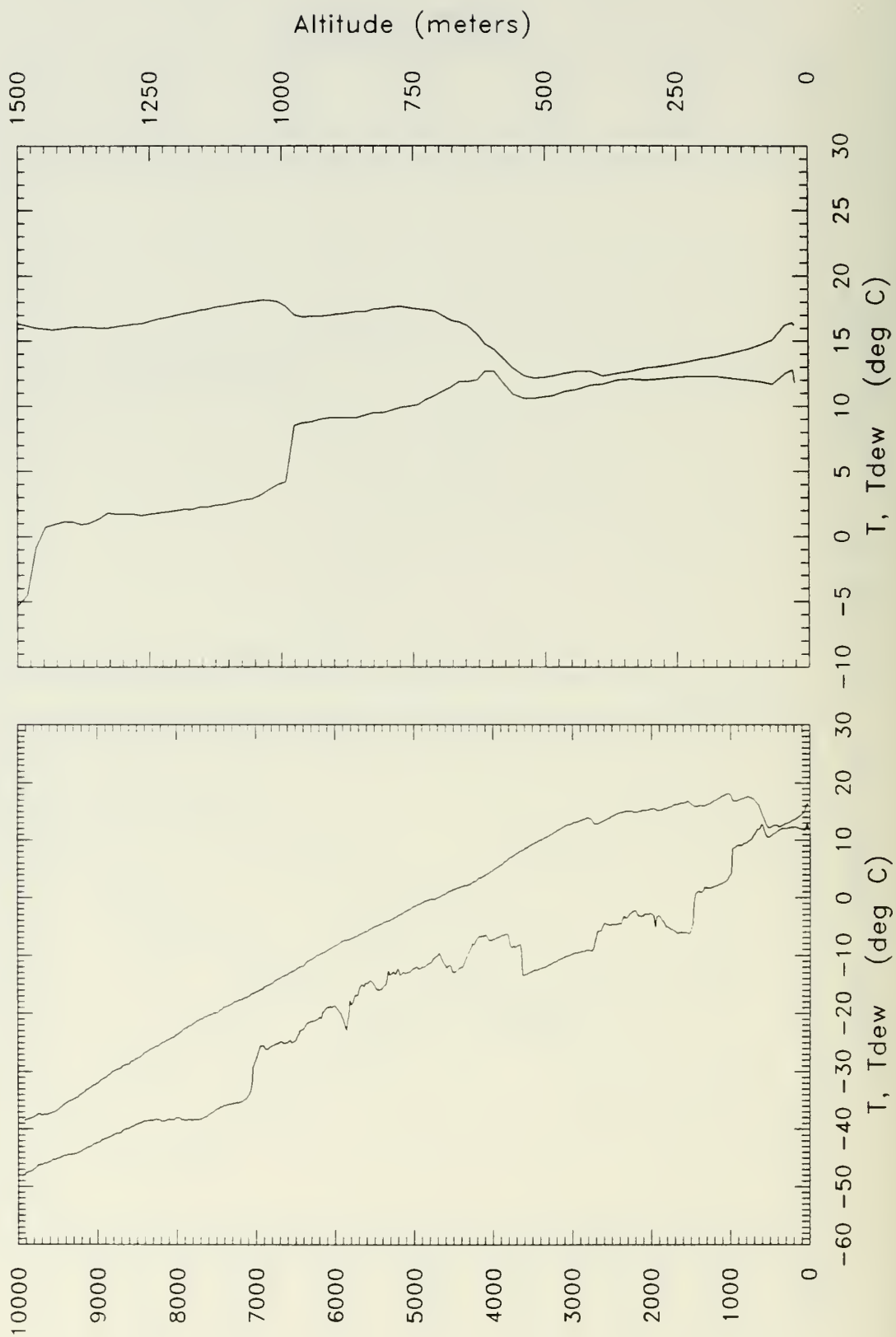
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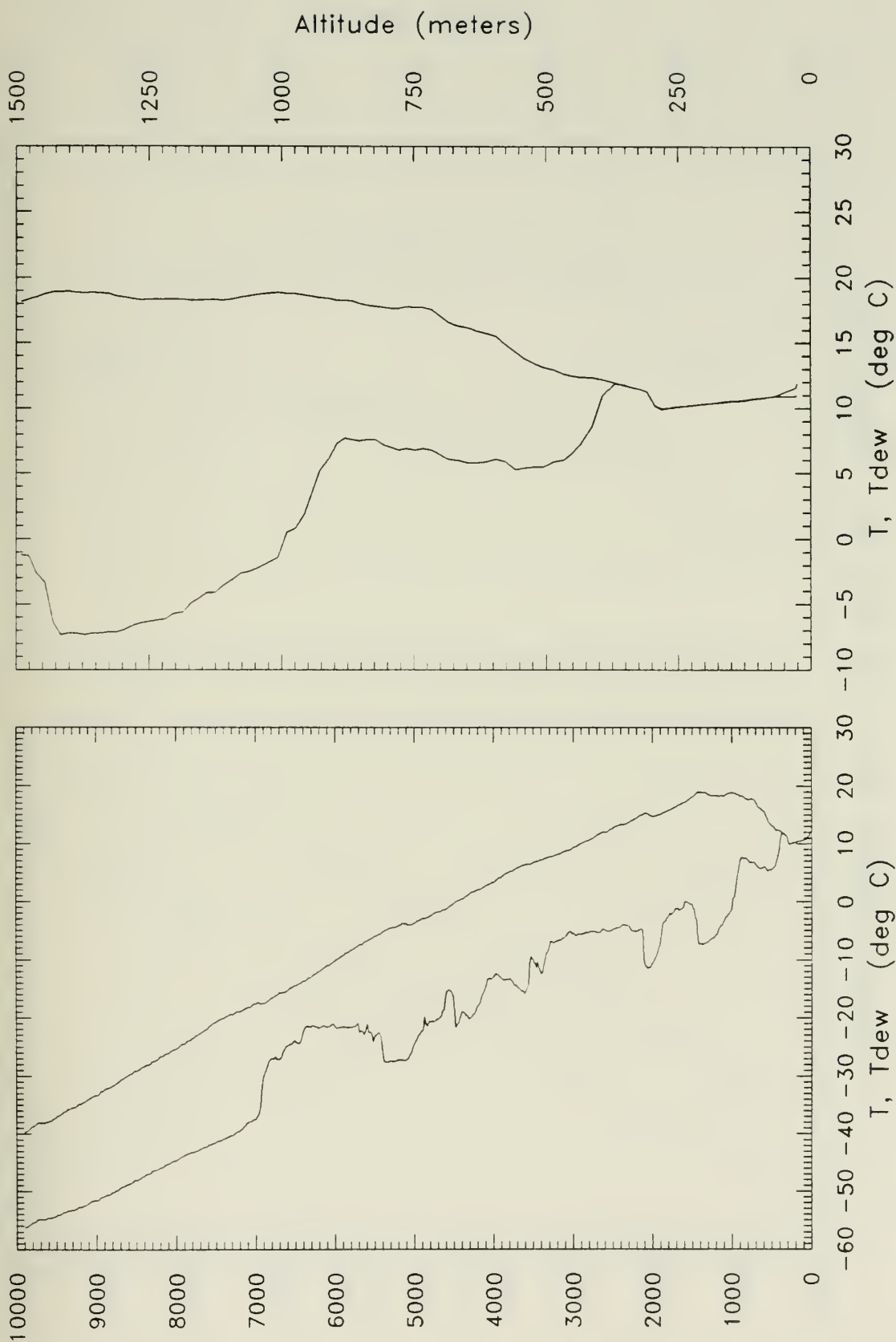
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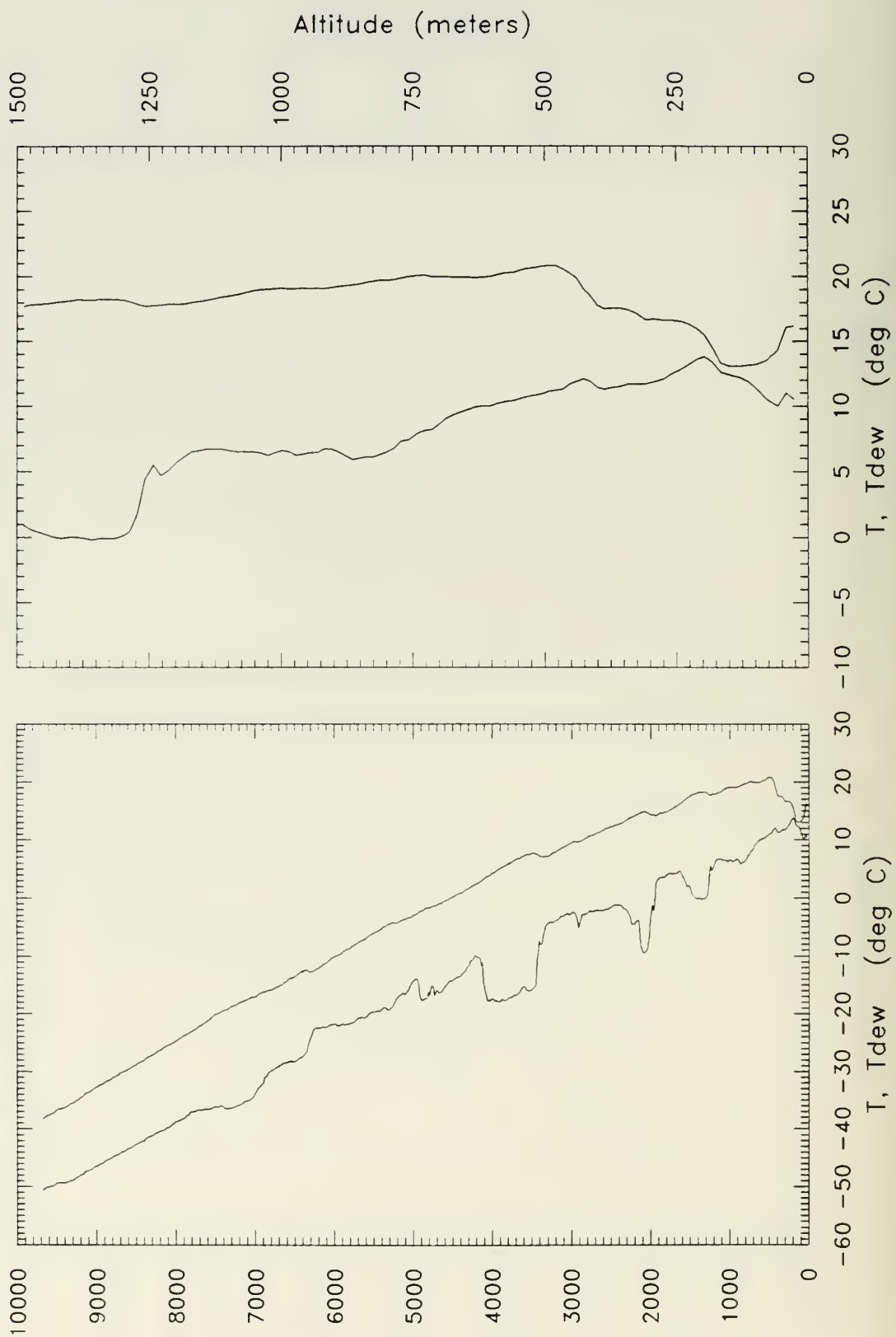
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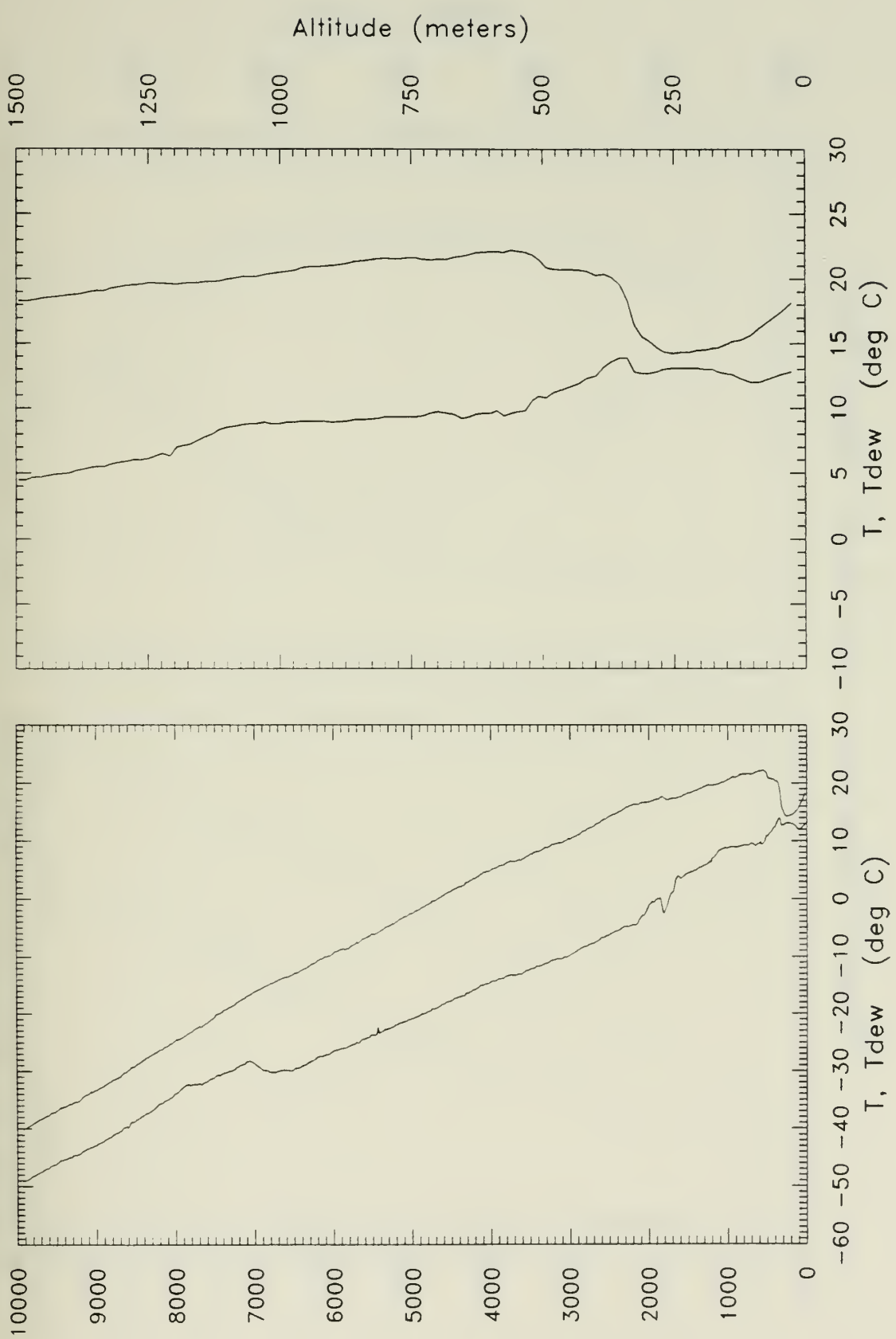
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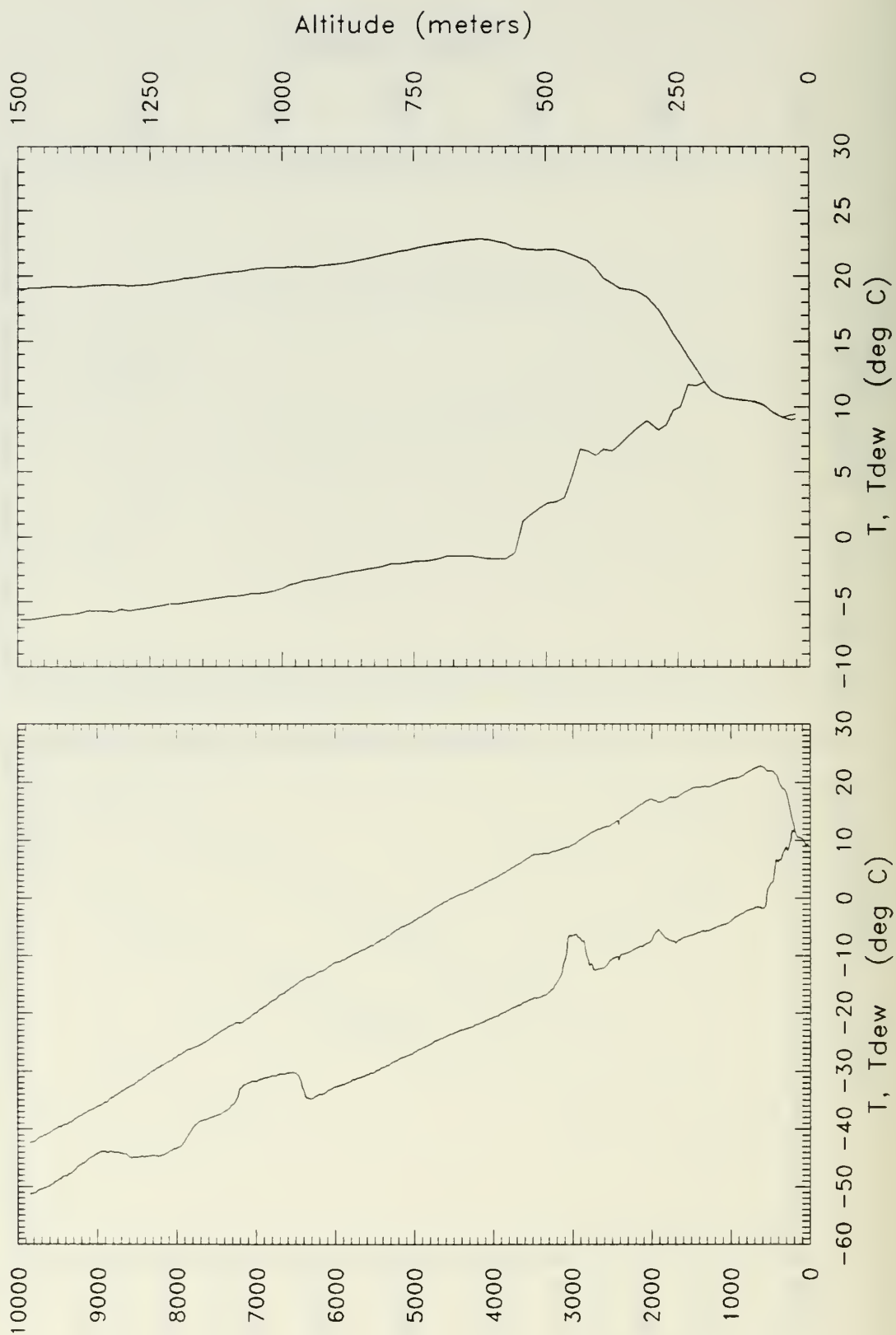
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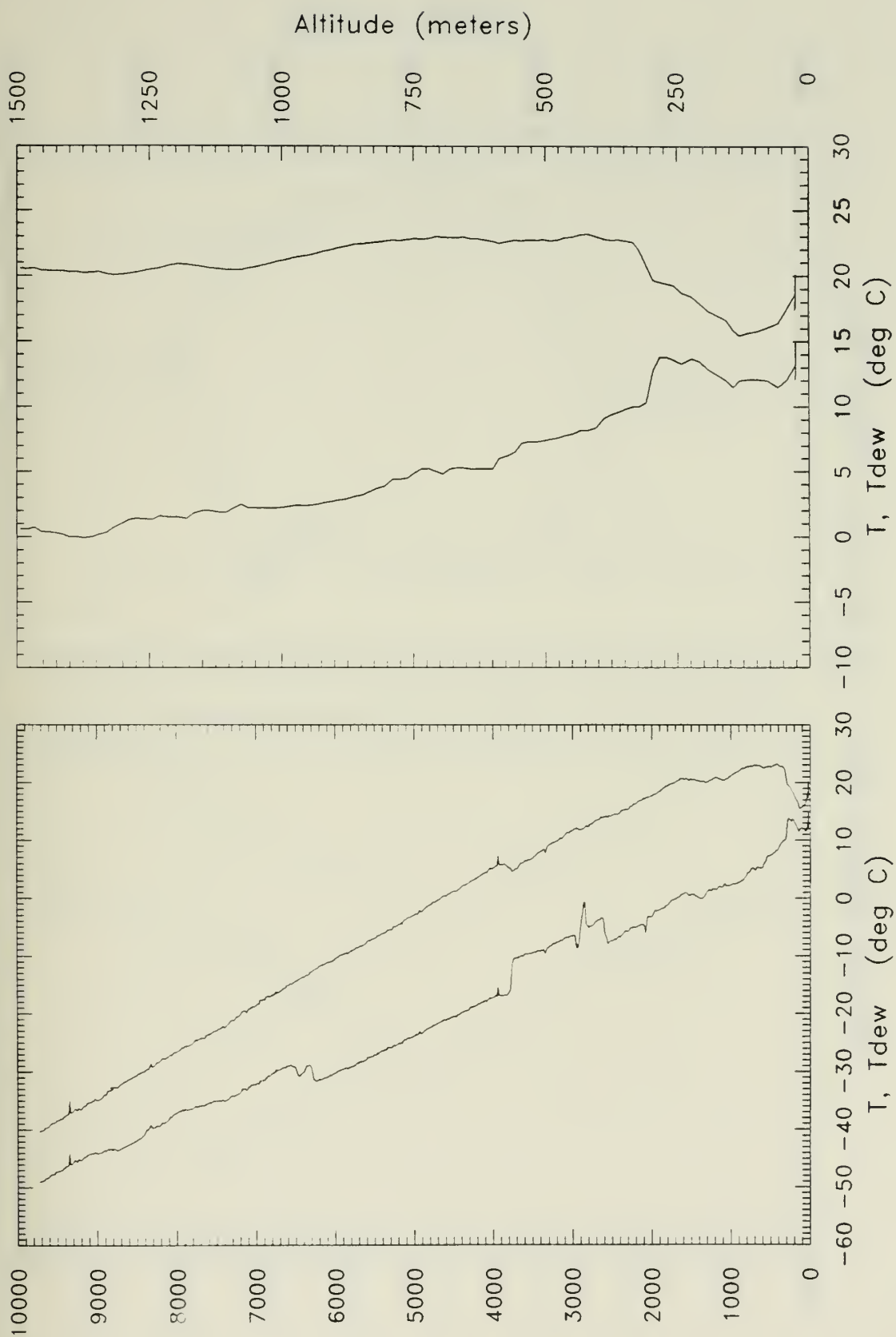
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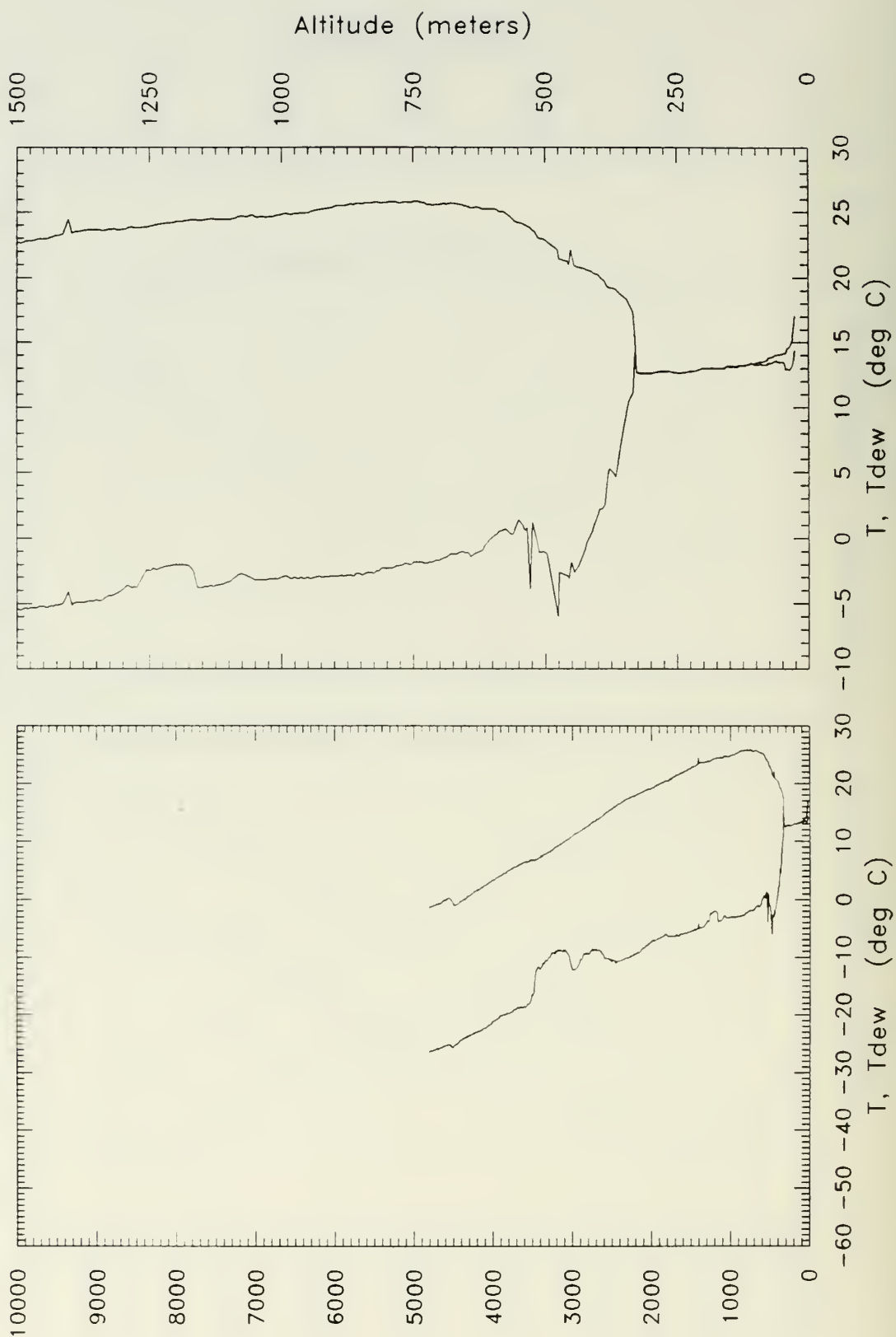
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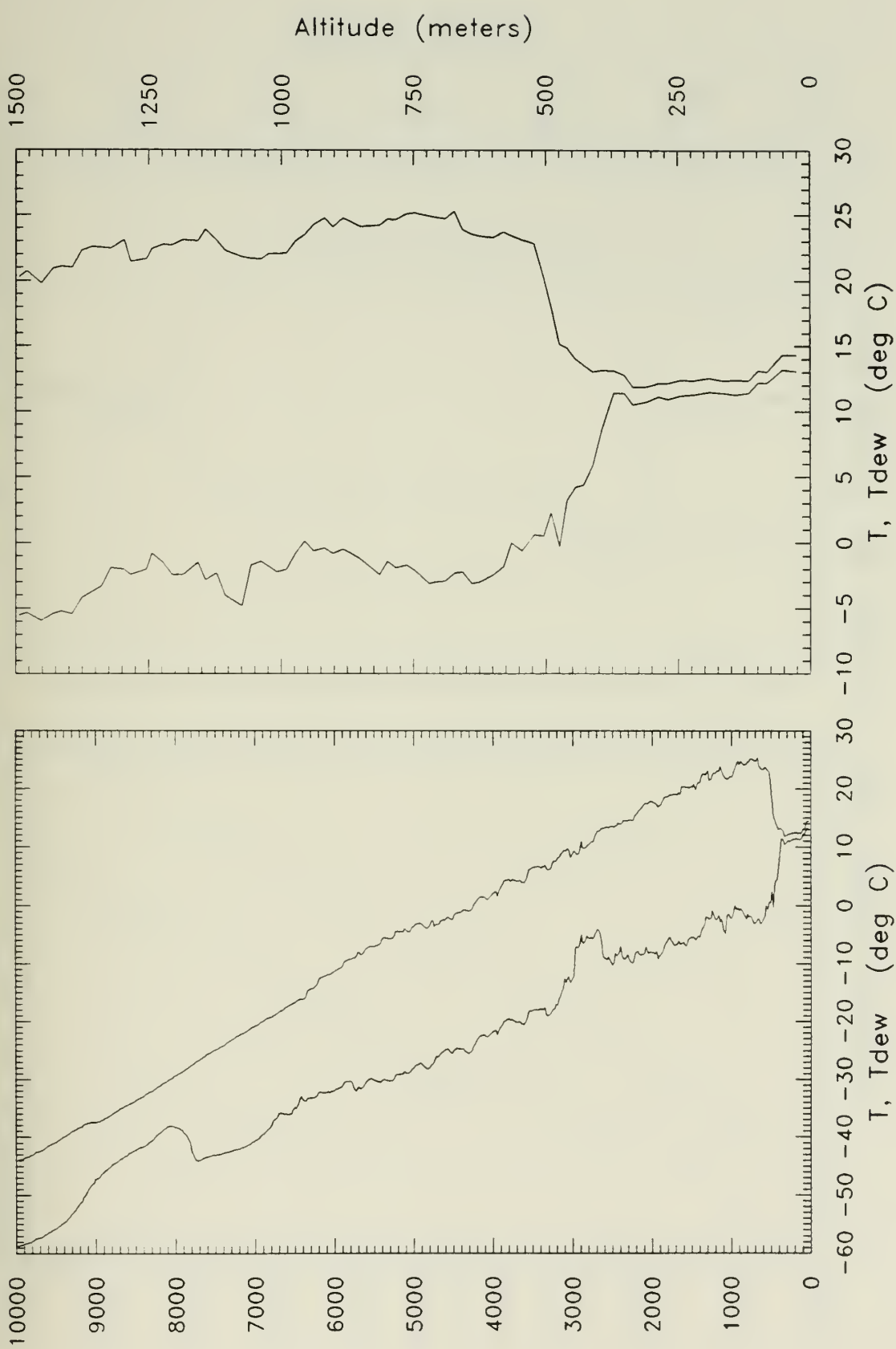
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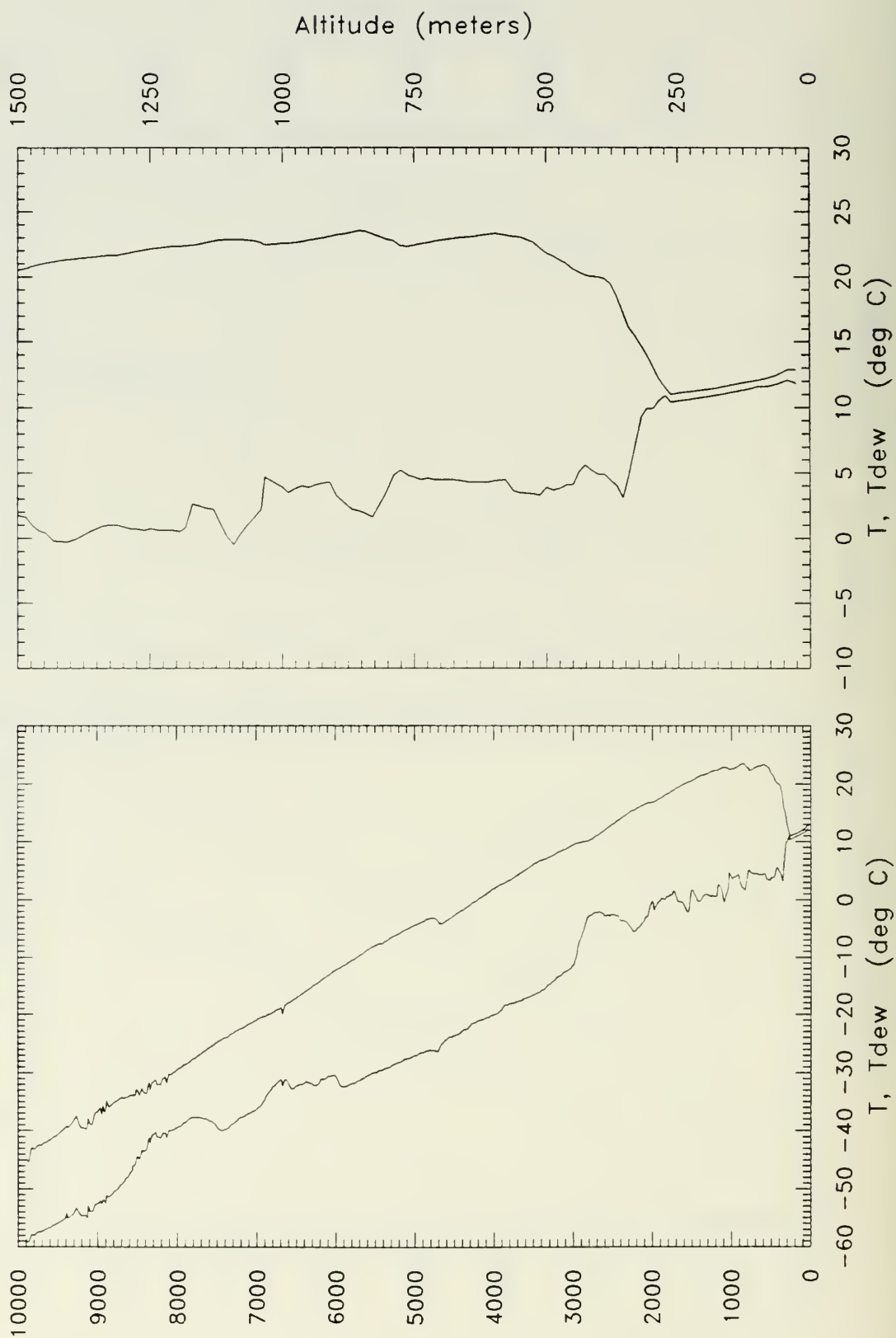
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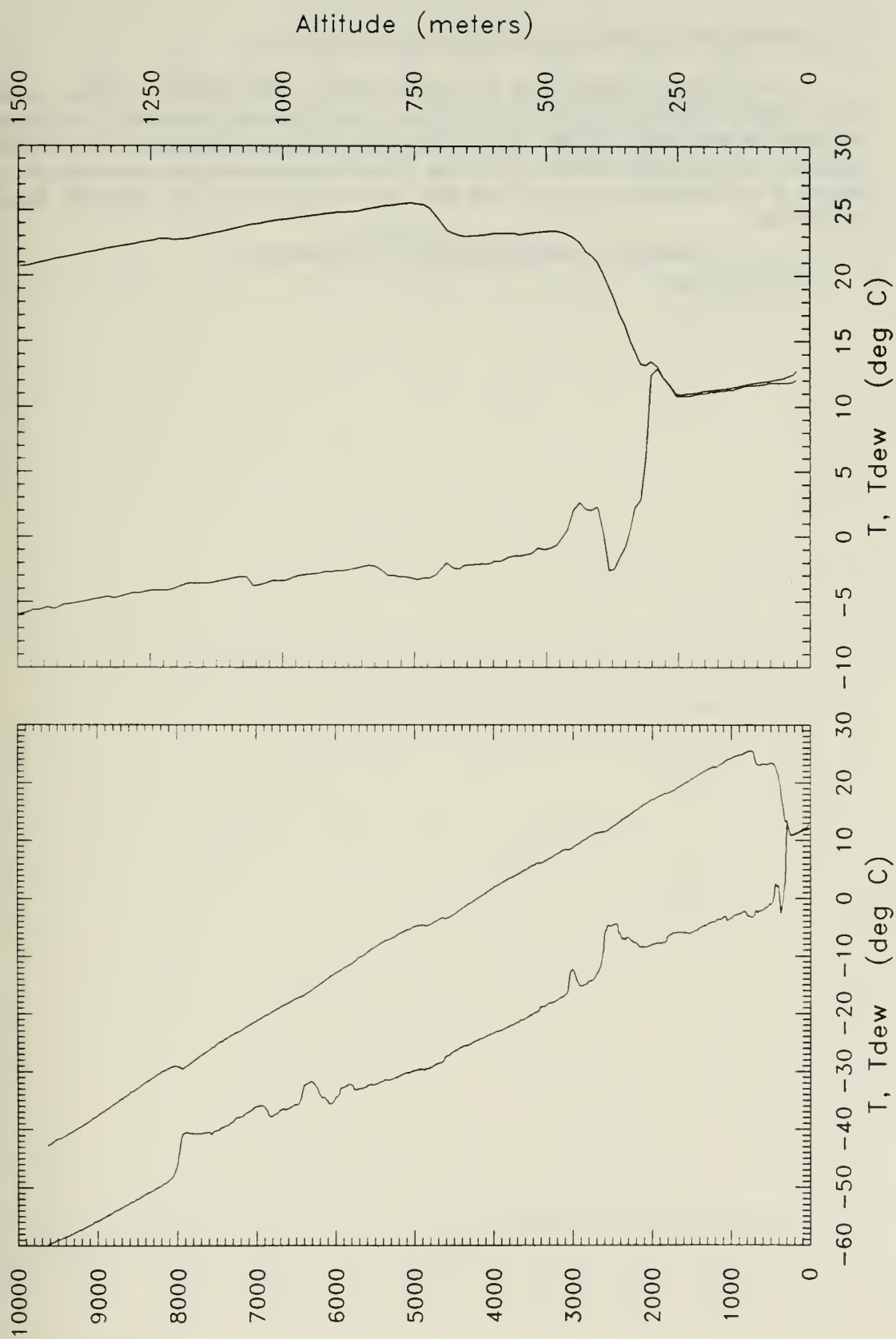
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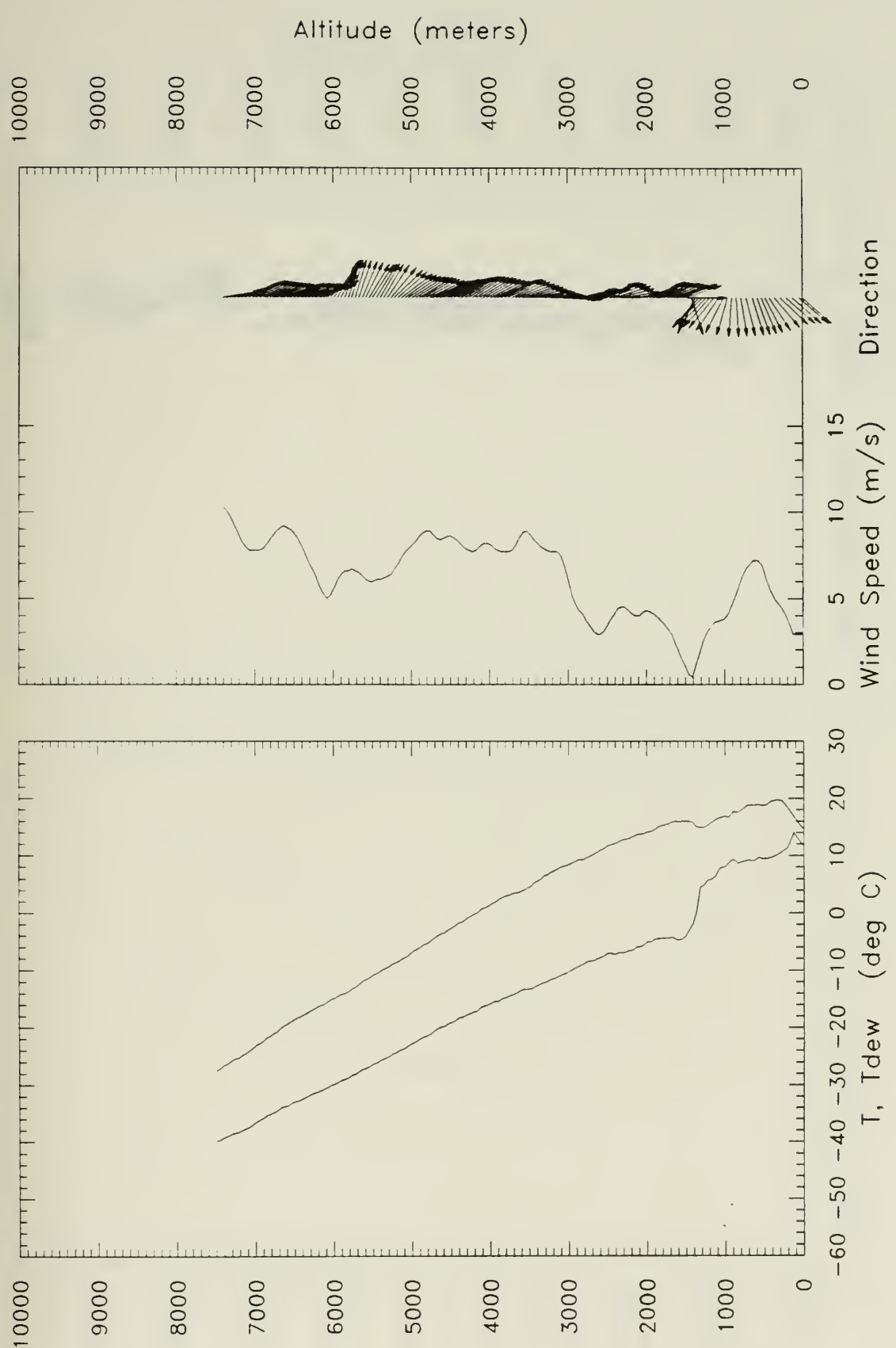
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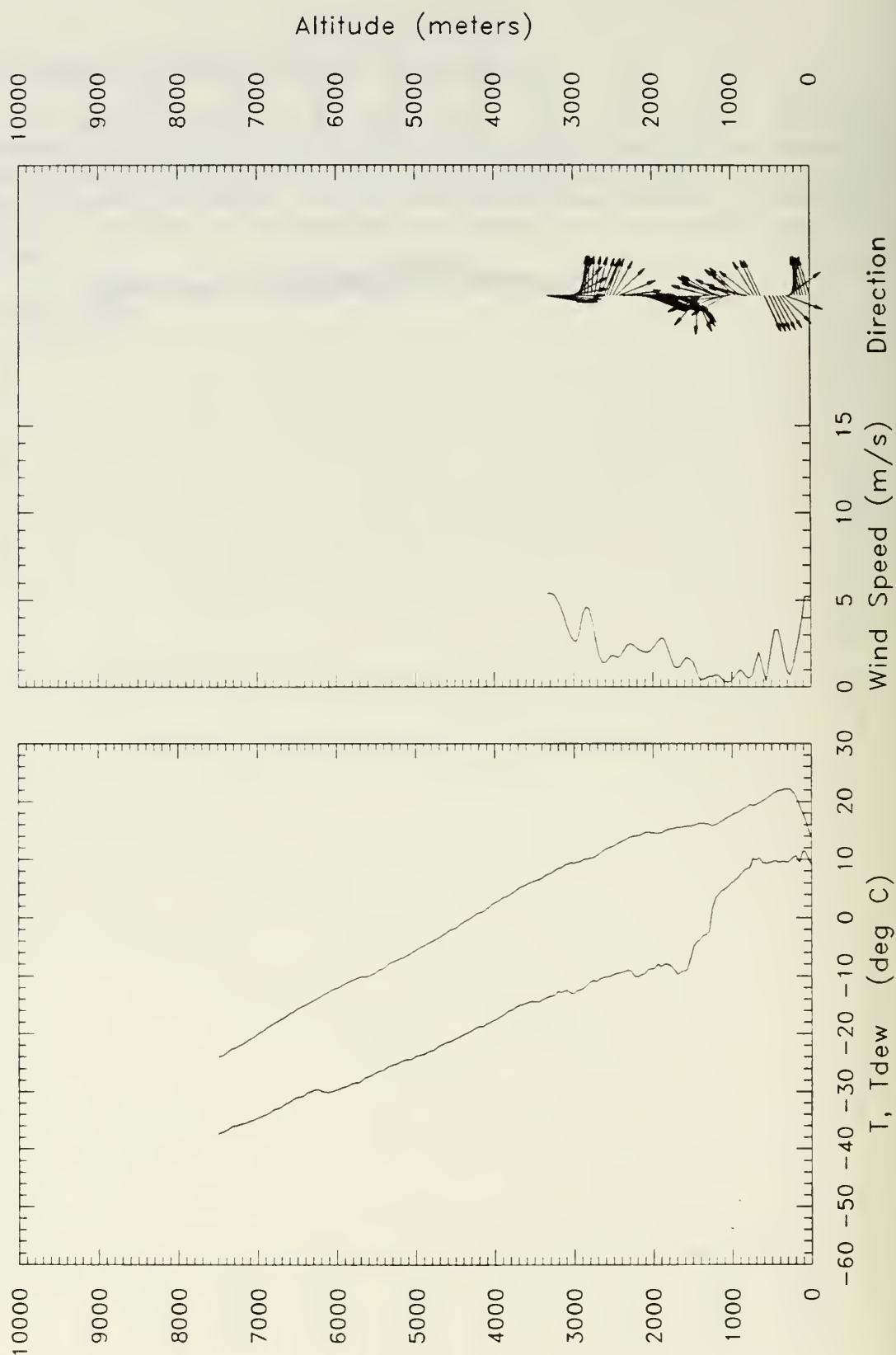
17. RAWINSONDE PROFILES (COMPLETE), SILVER PRINCE

This section presents the 29 thermodynamic and dynamic profiles collected by rawinsondes launched from the R/V Silver Prince. The profiles are presented in their entirety. The left panel for each page contains the a temperature and dewpoint profiles, and the right panel contains wind speed and direction. Note that no dewpoint data were available from the 1613 PST launch of 24 September, and no wind data were obtained from the 1258 PST launch of 25 September.

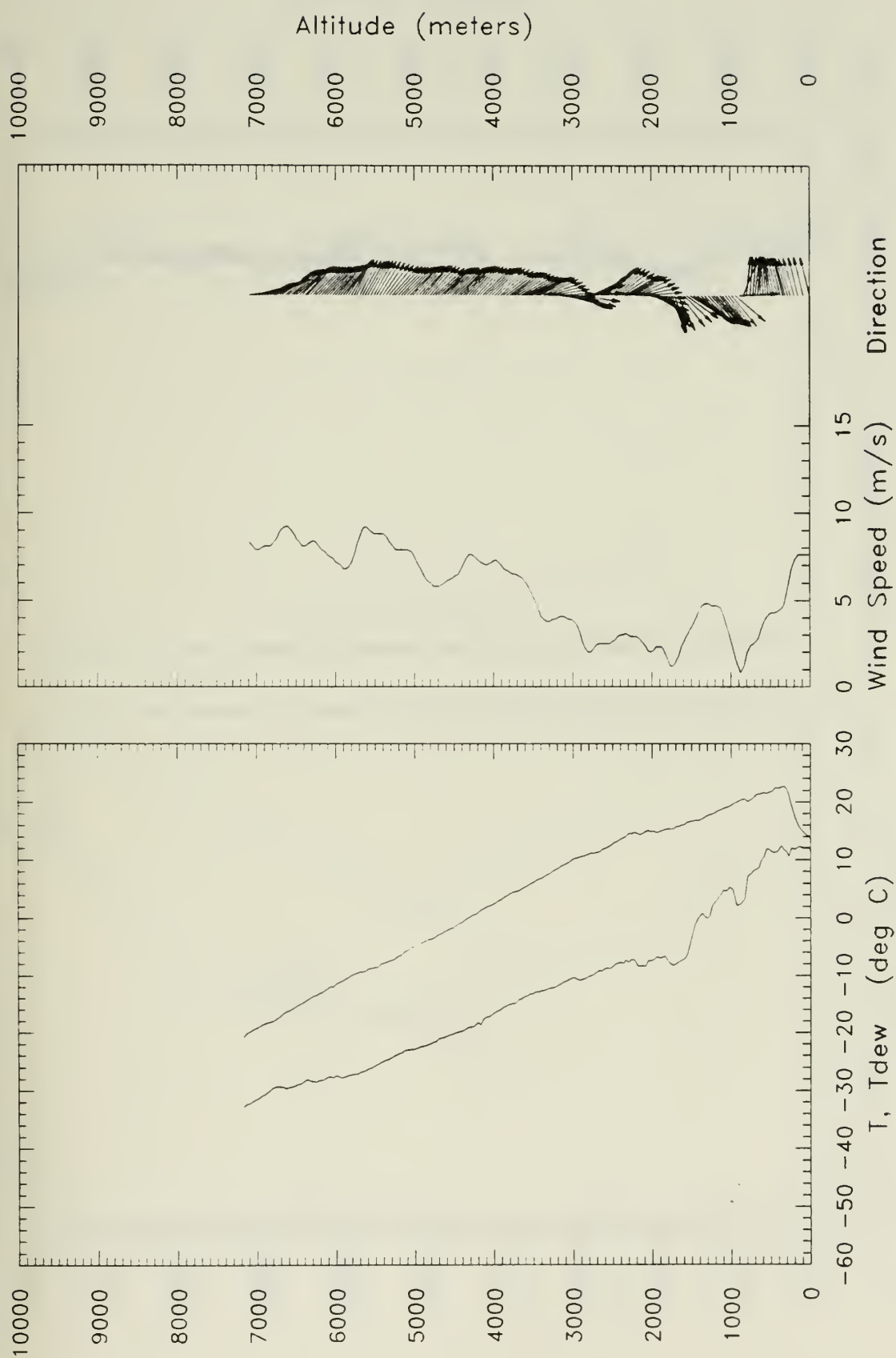
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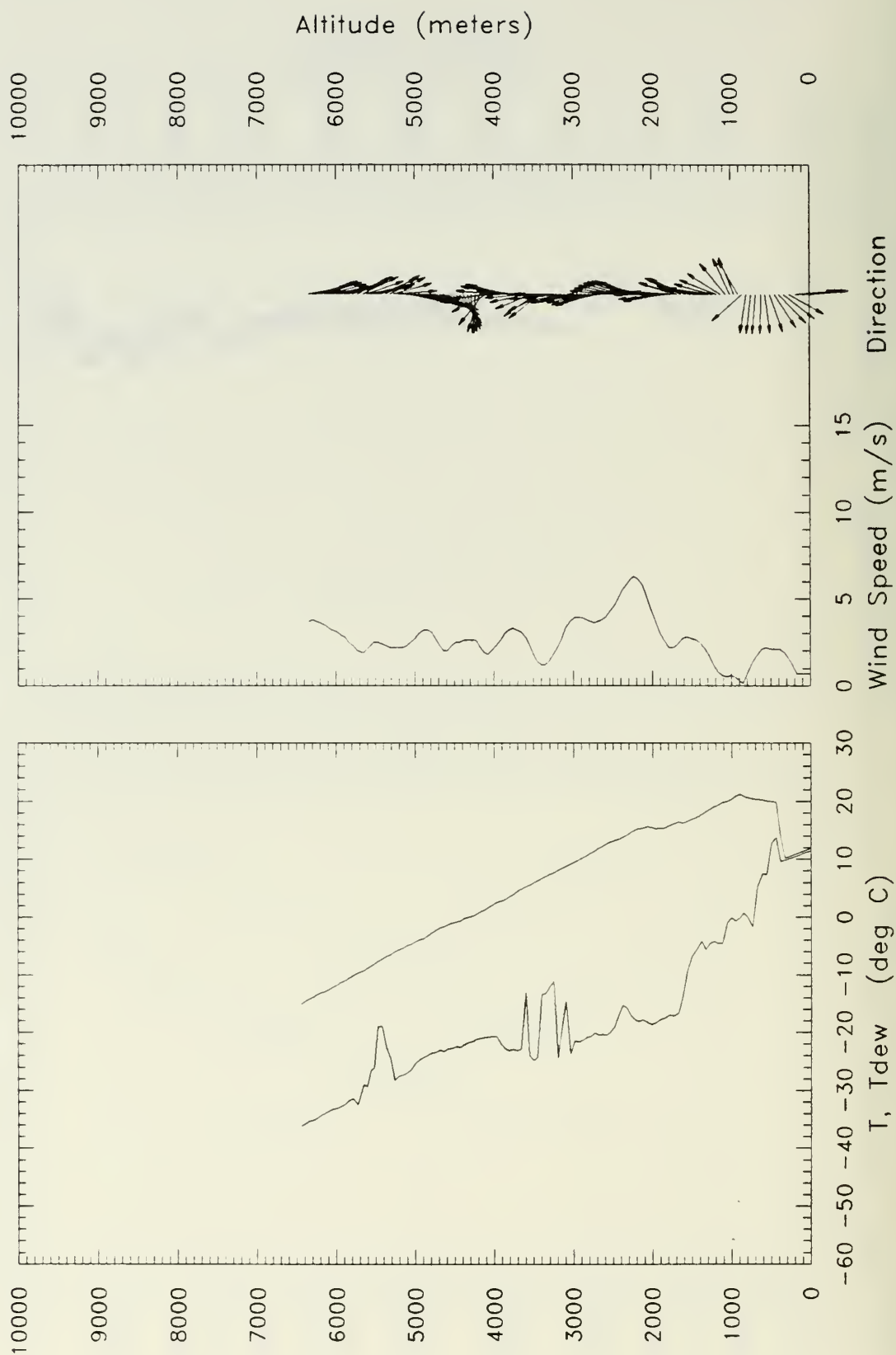
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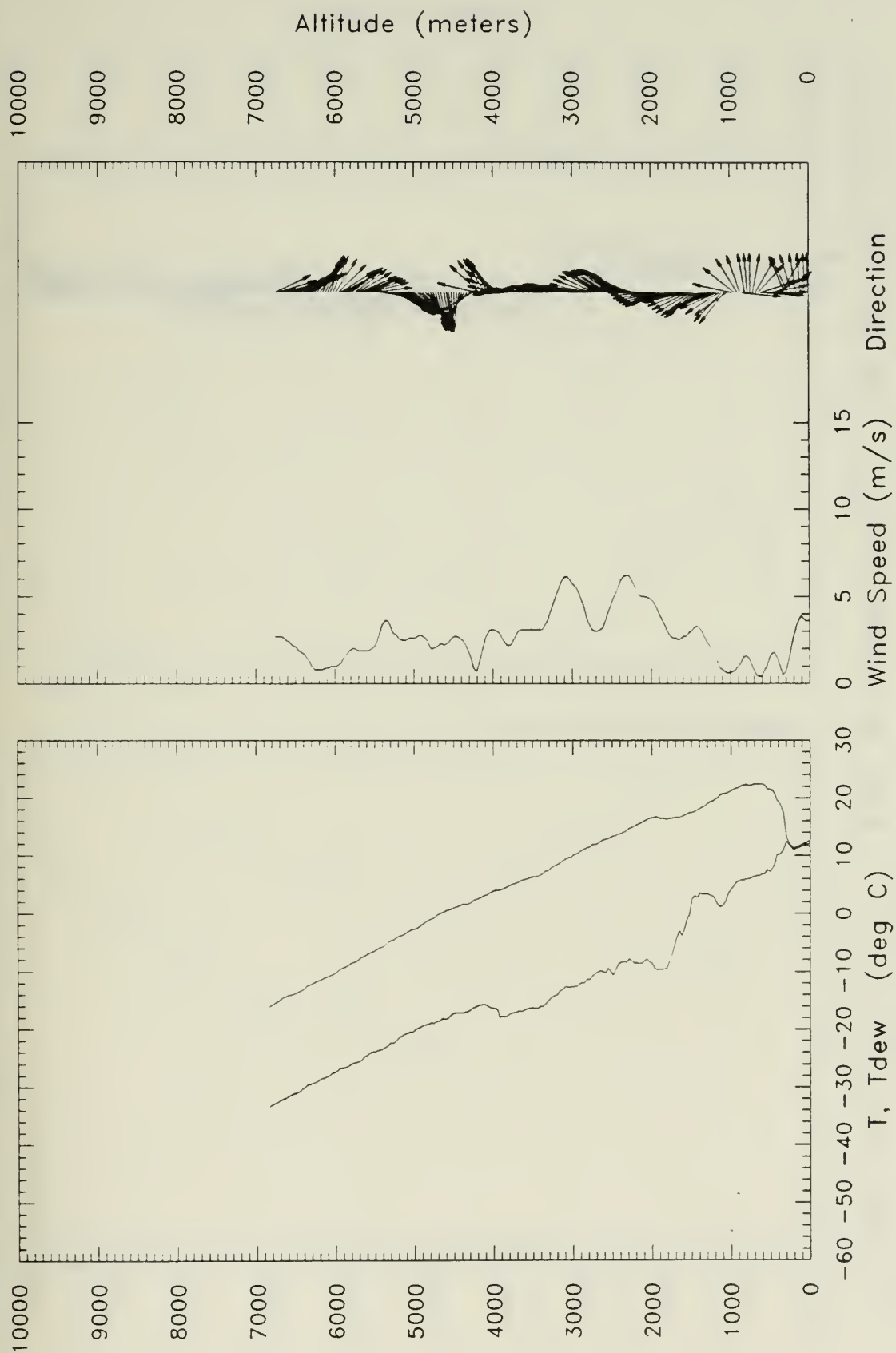
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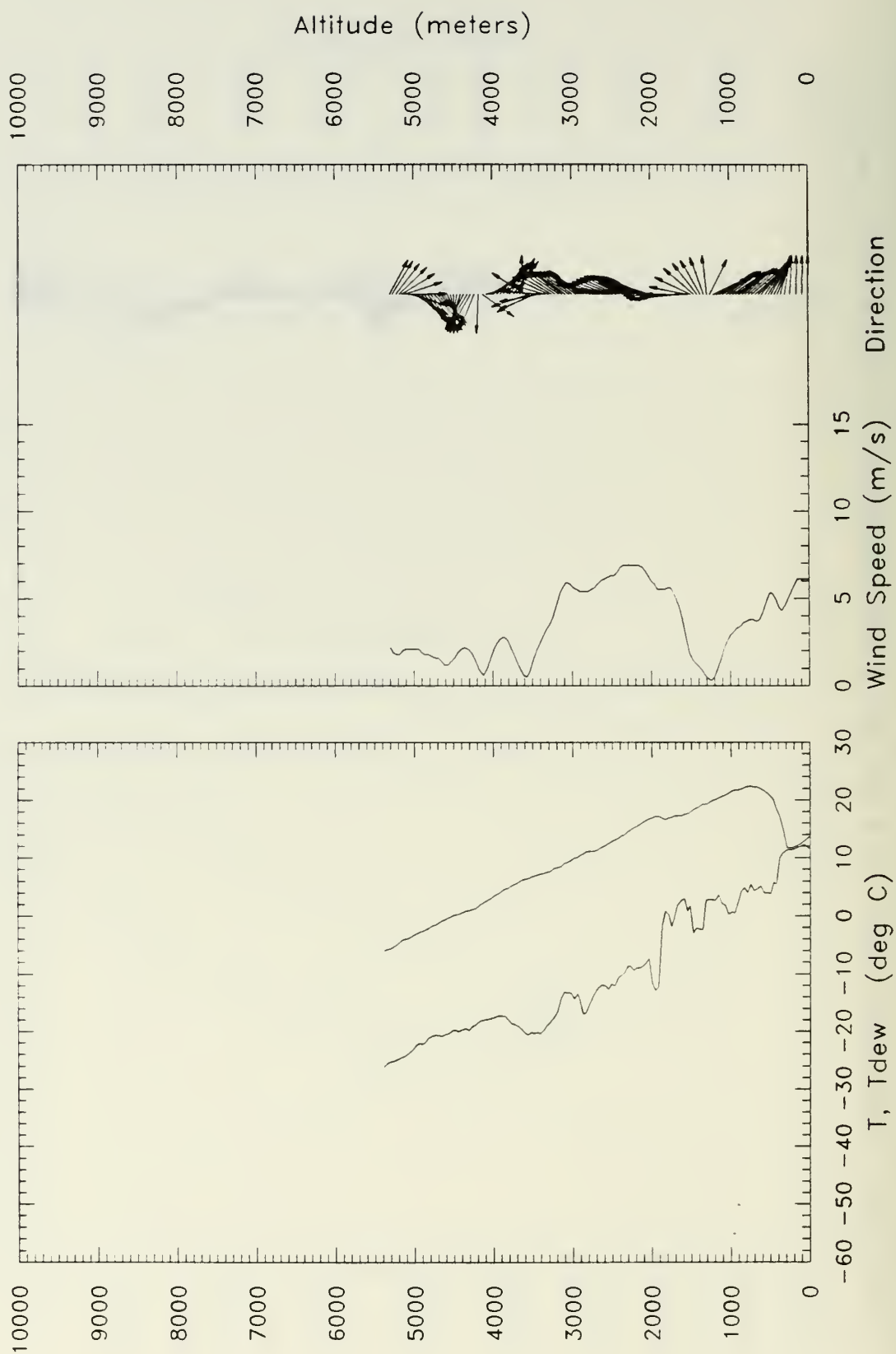
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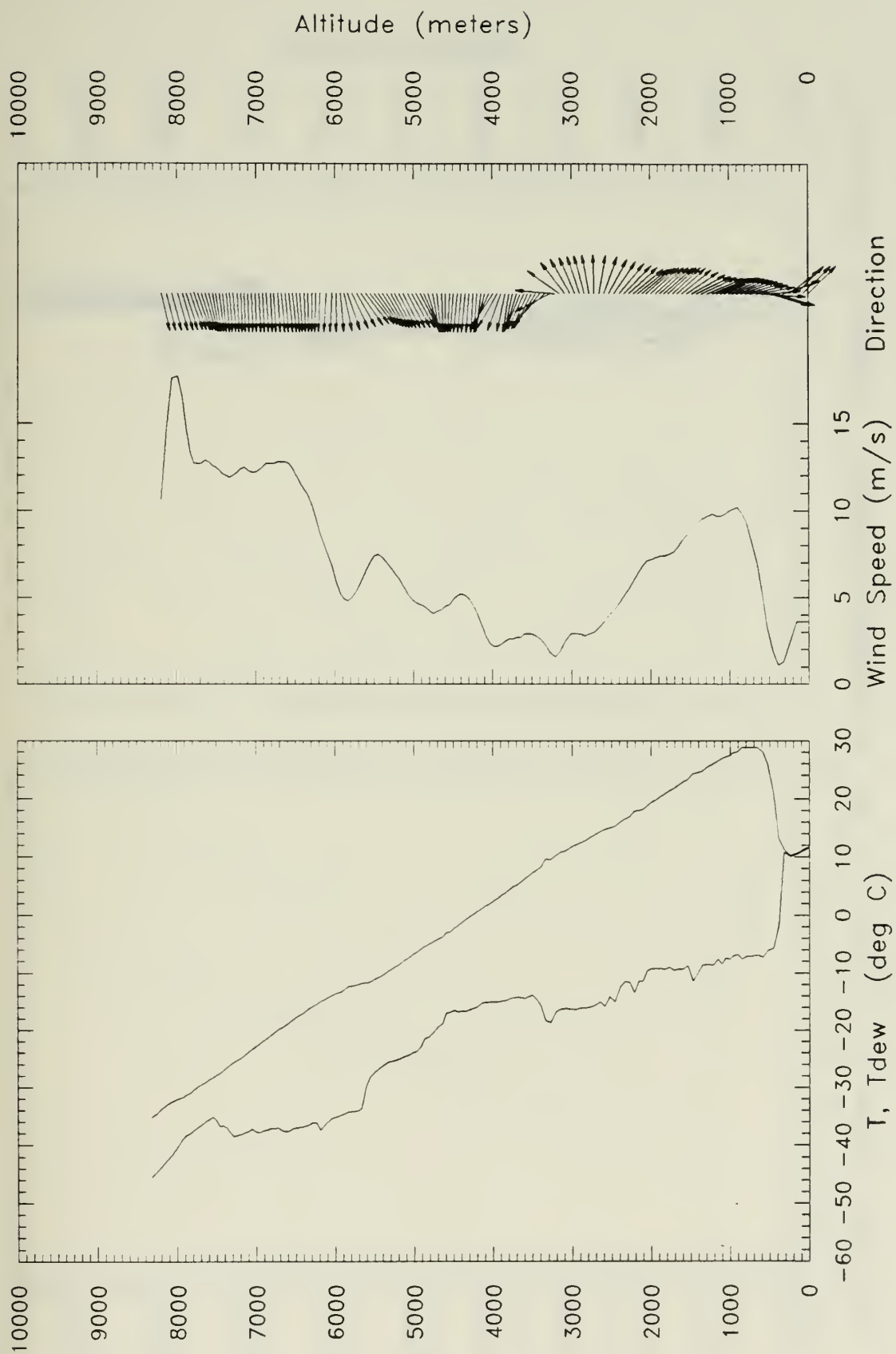
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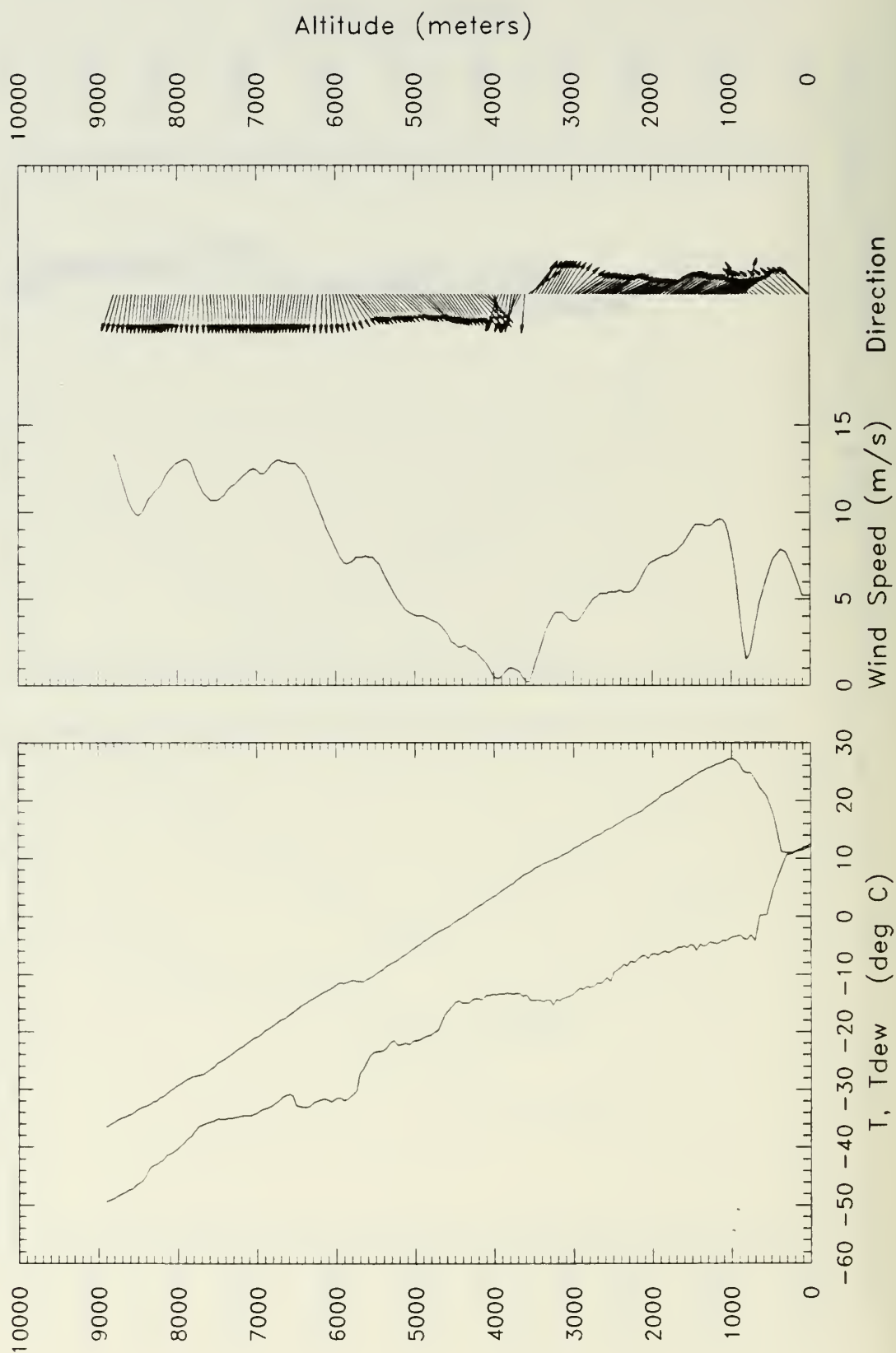
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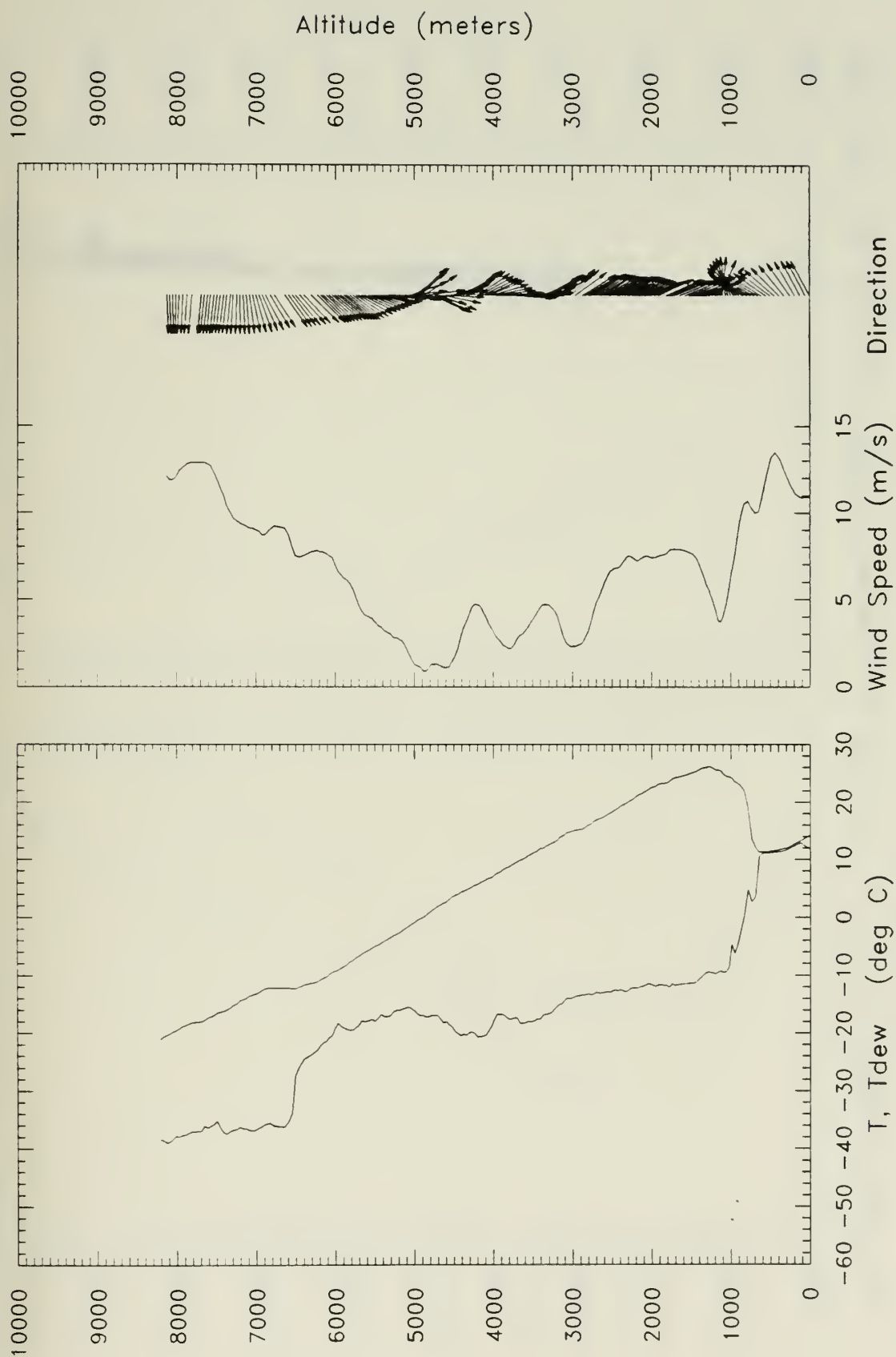
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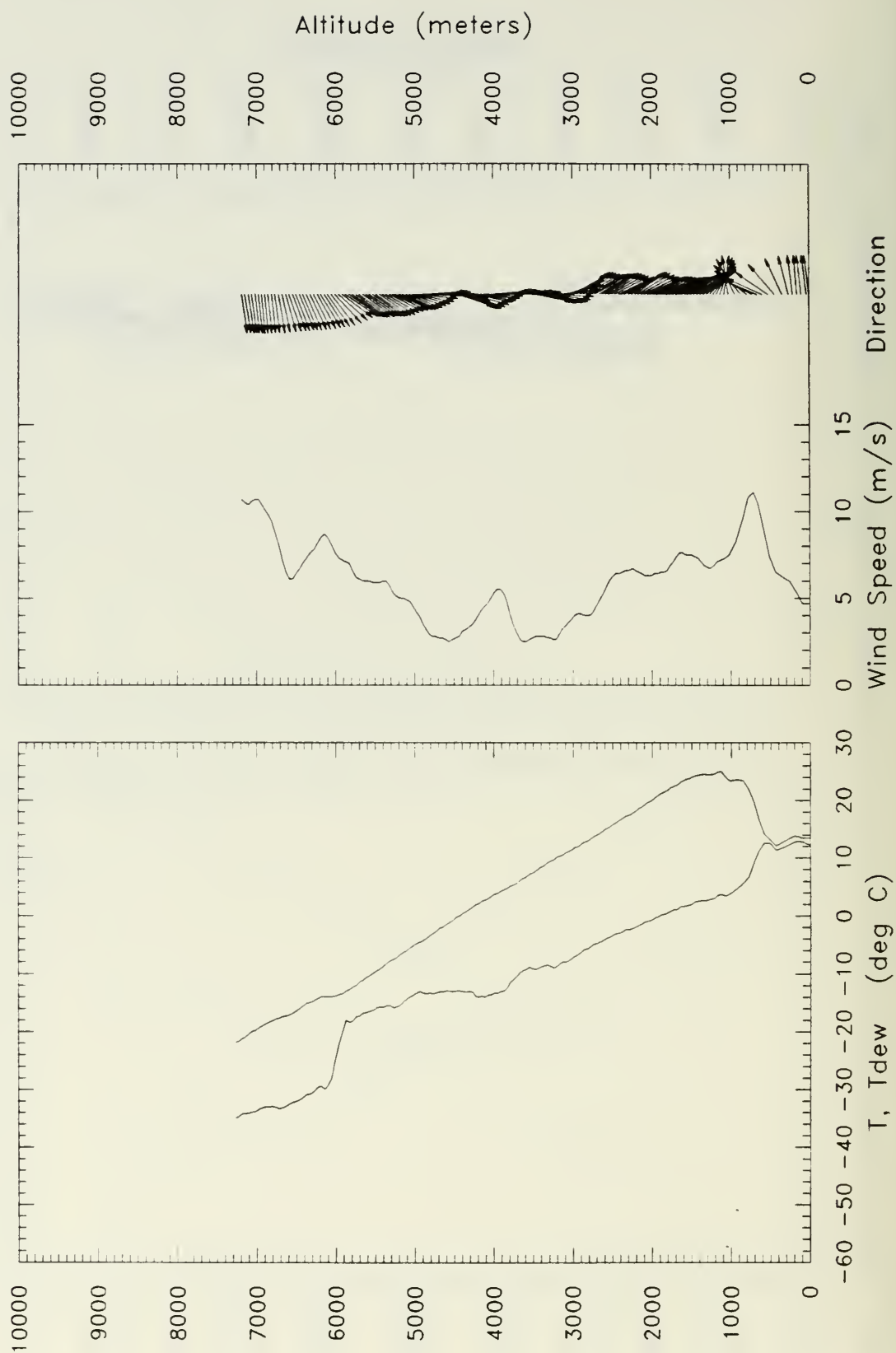
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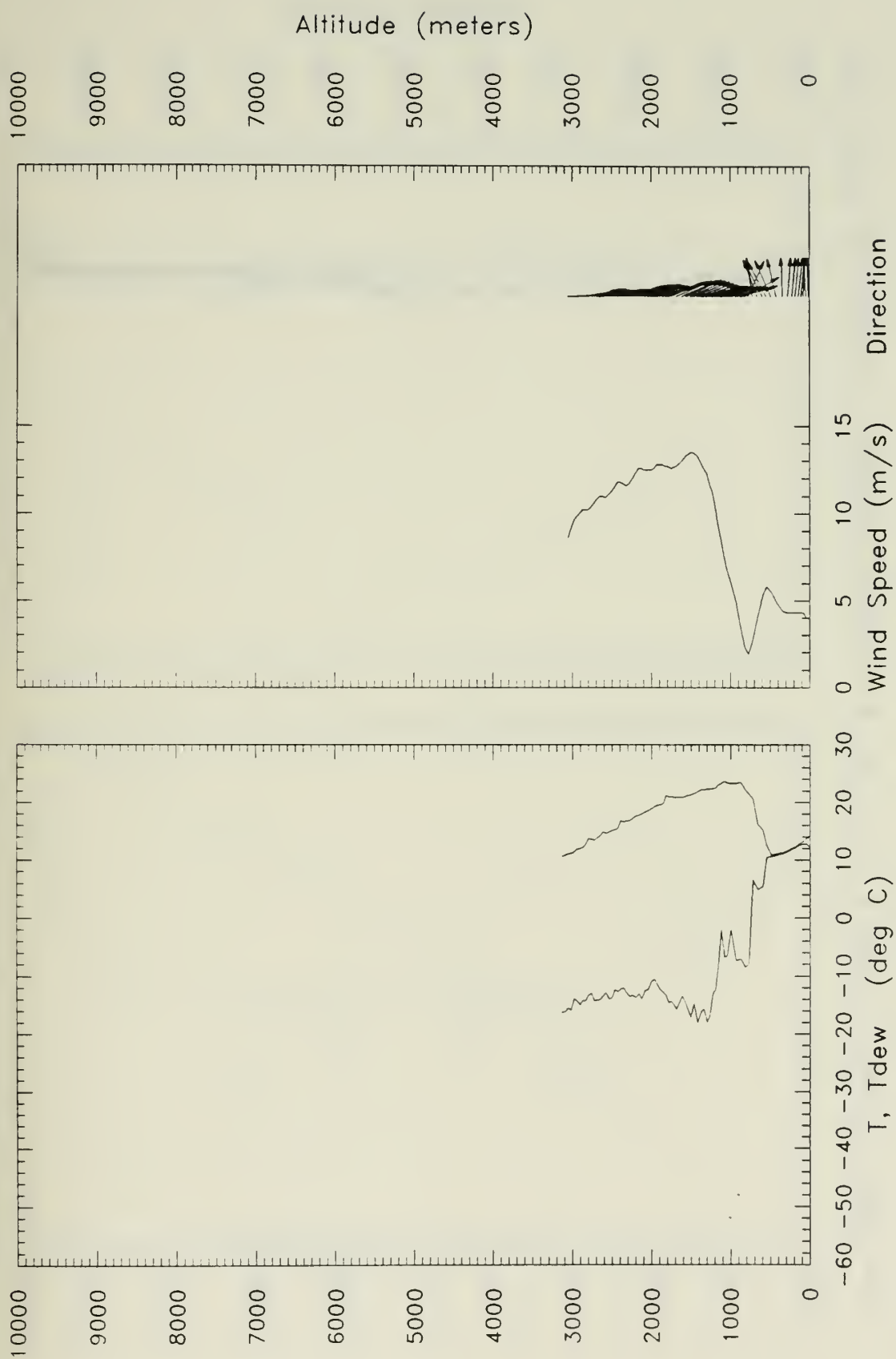
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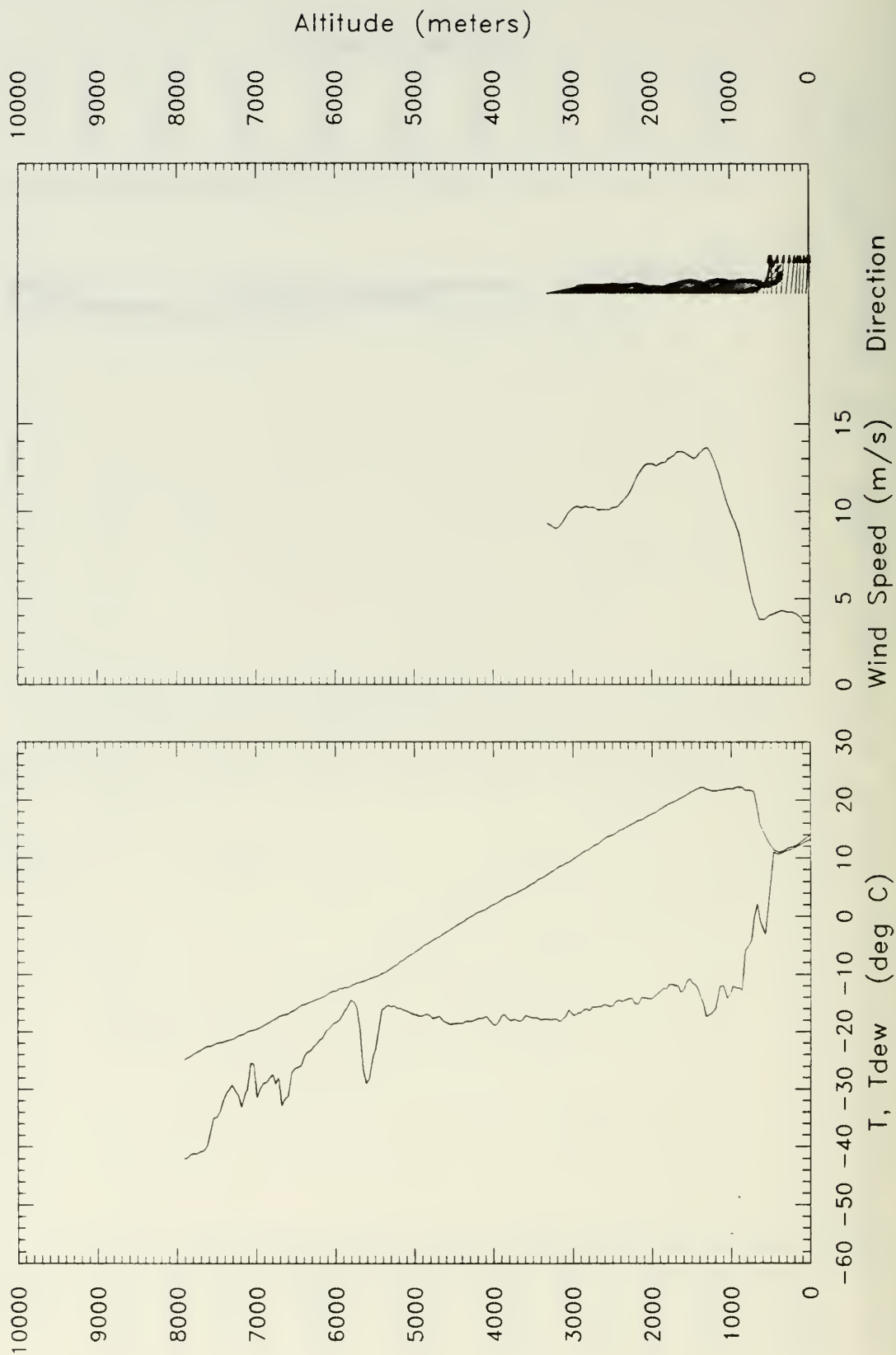
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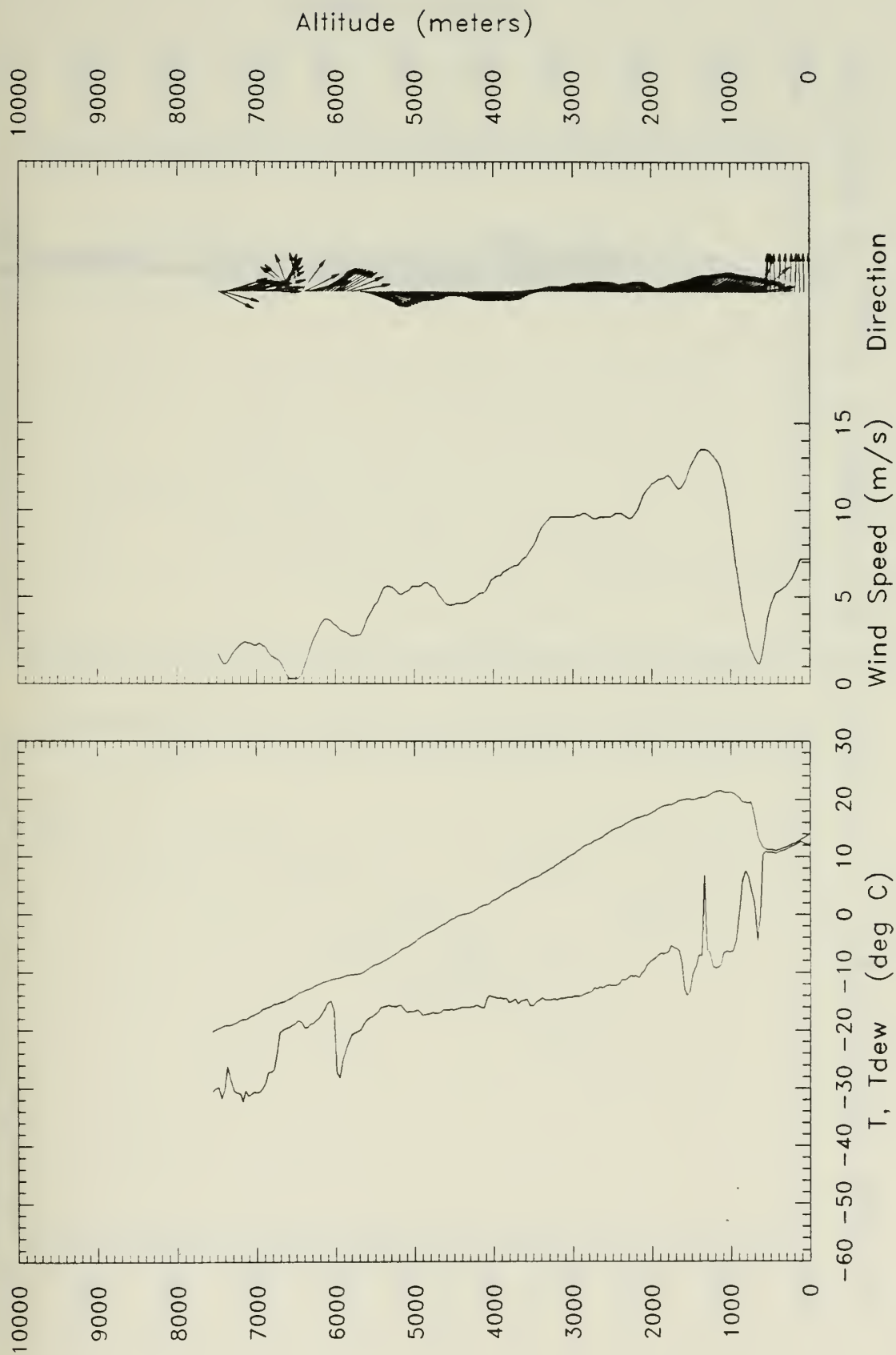
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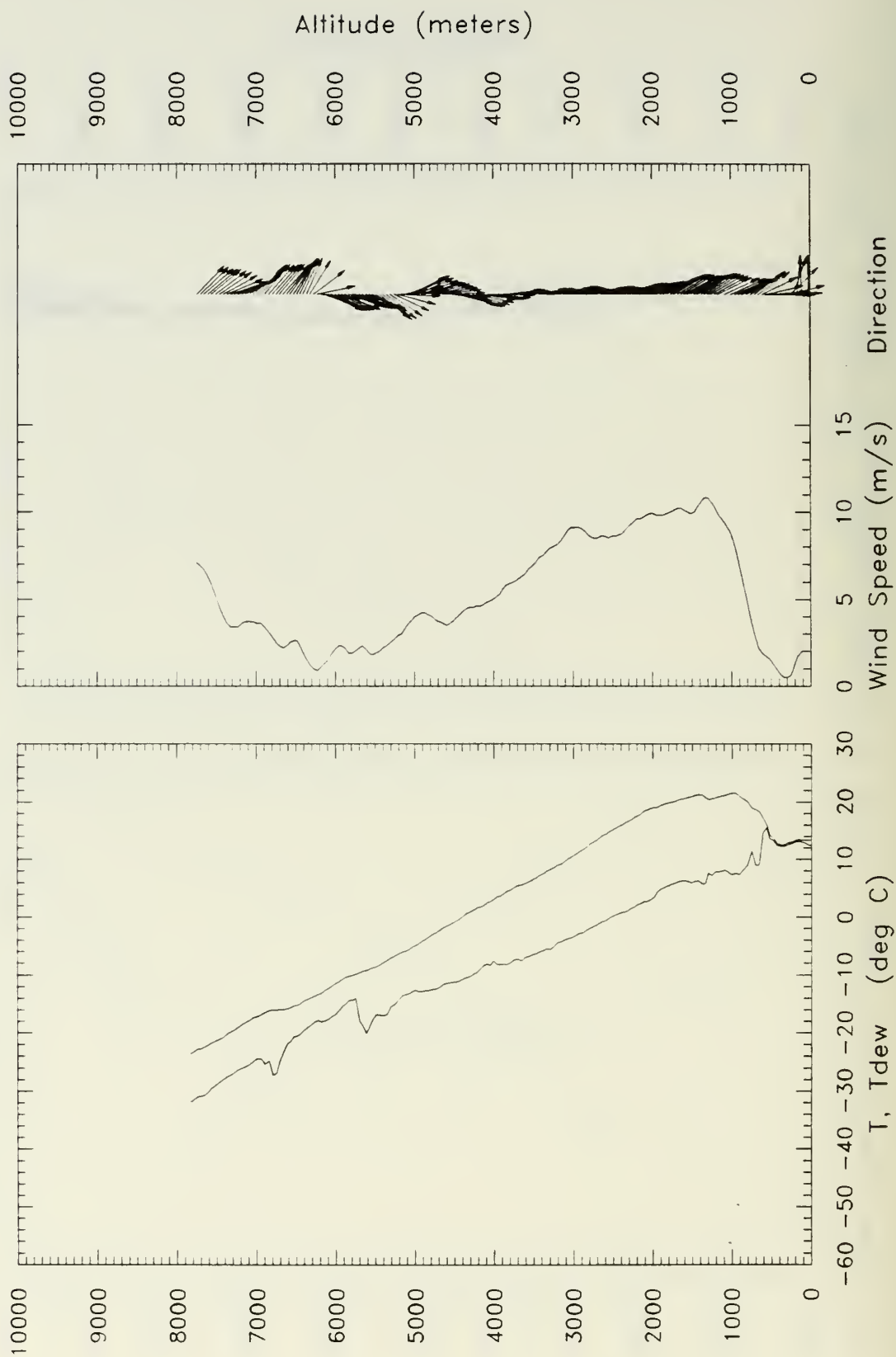
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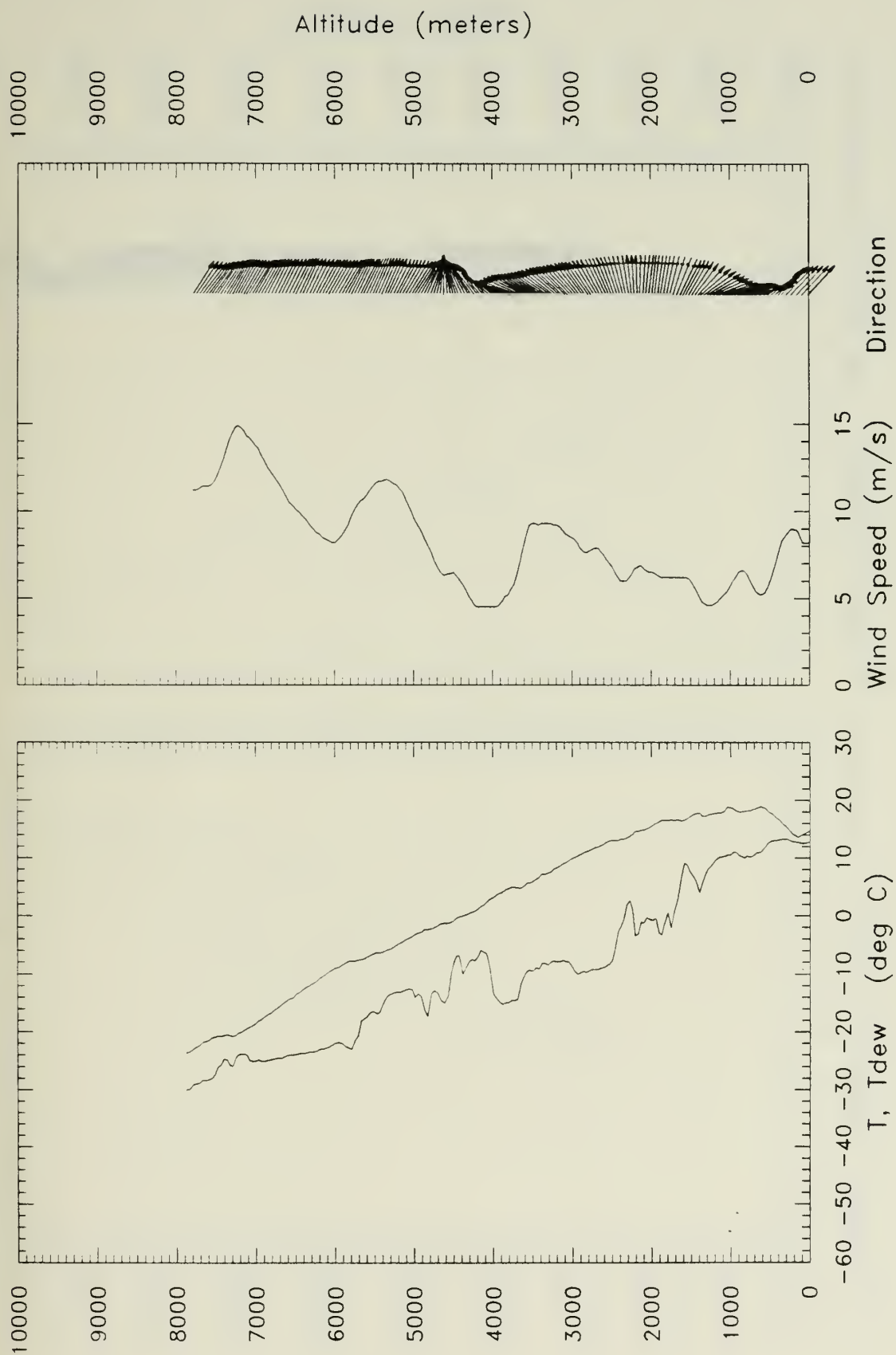
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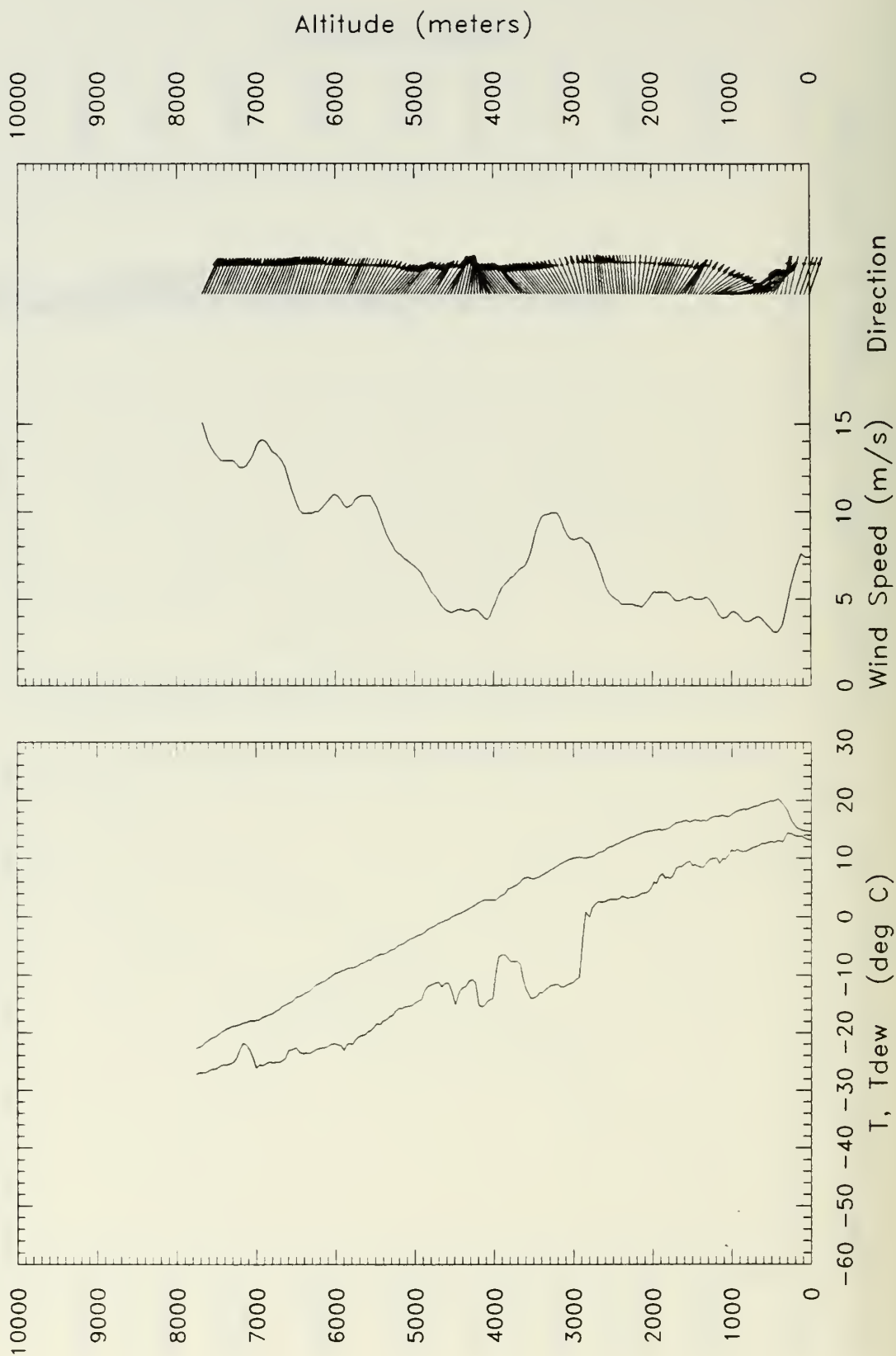
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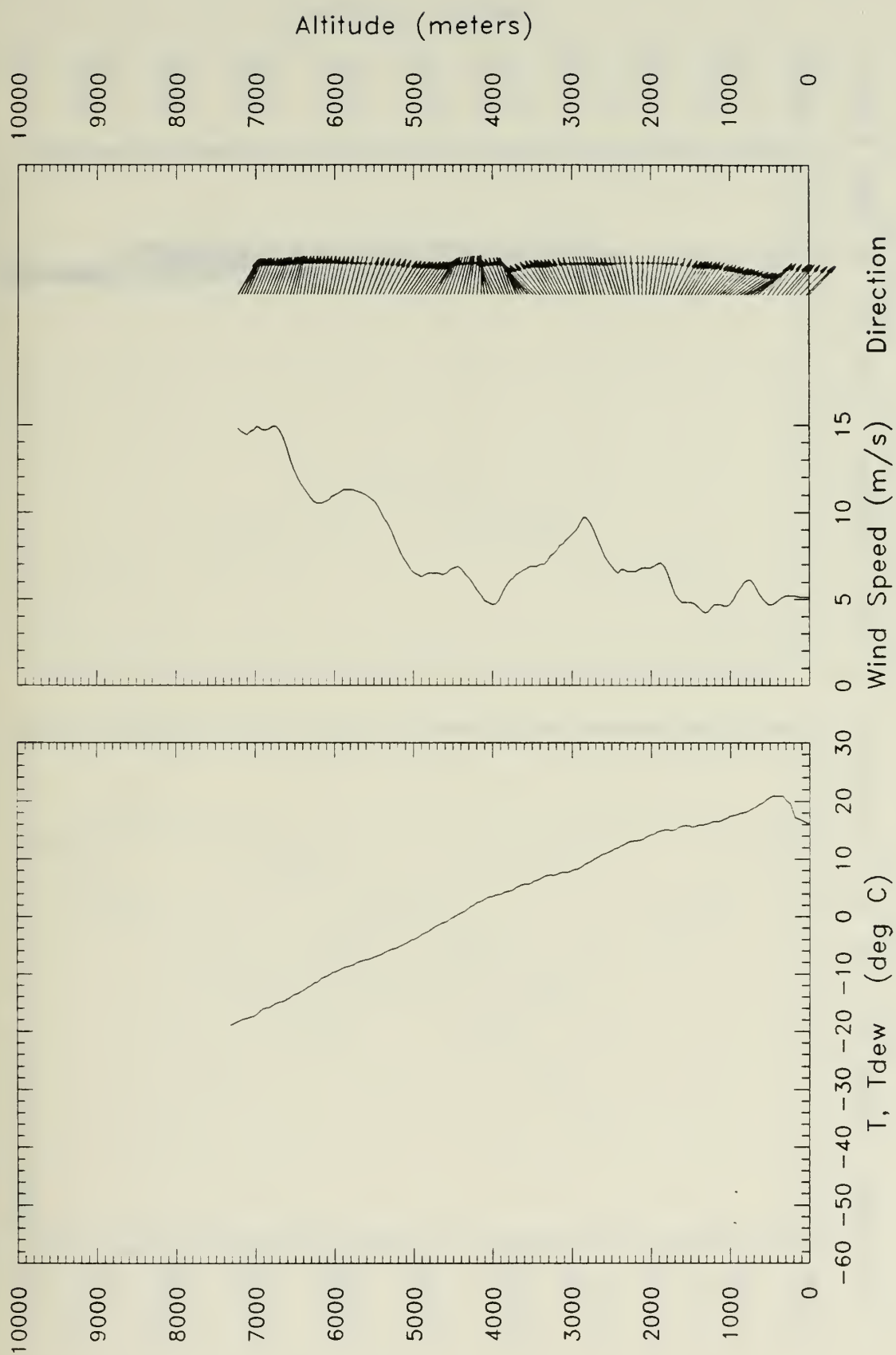
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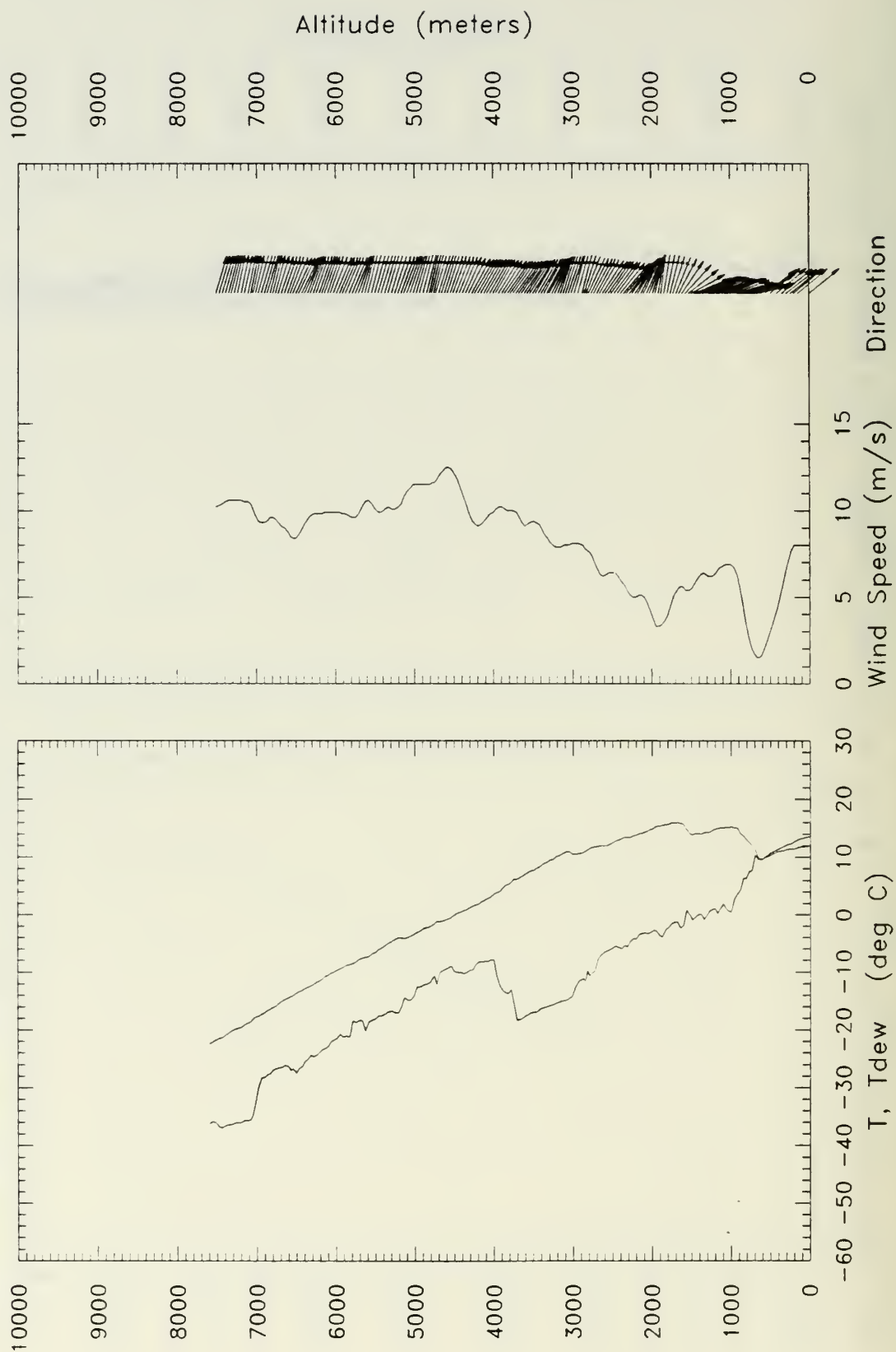
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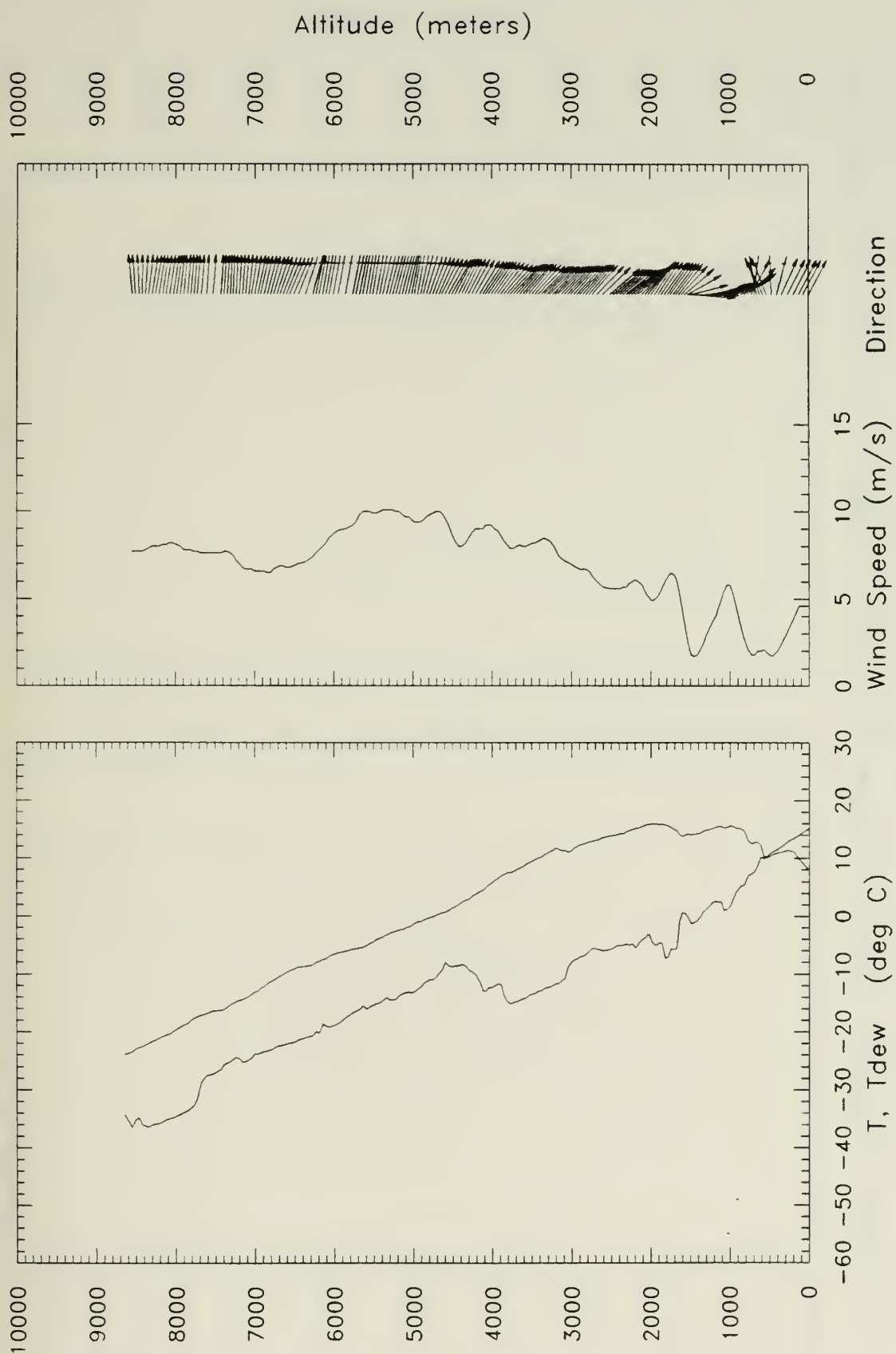
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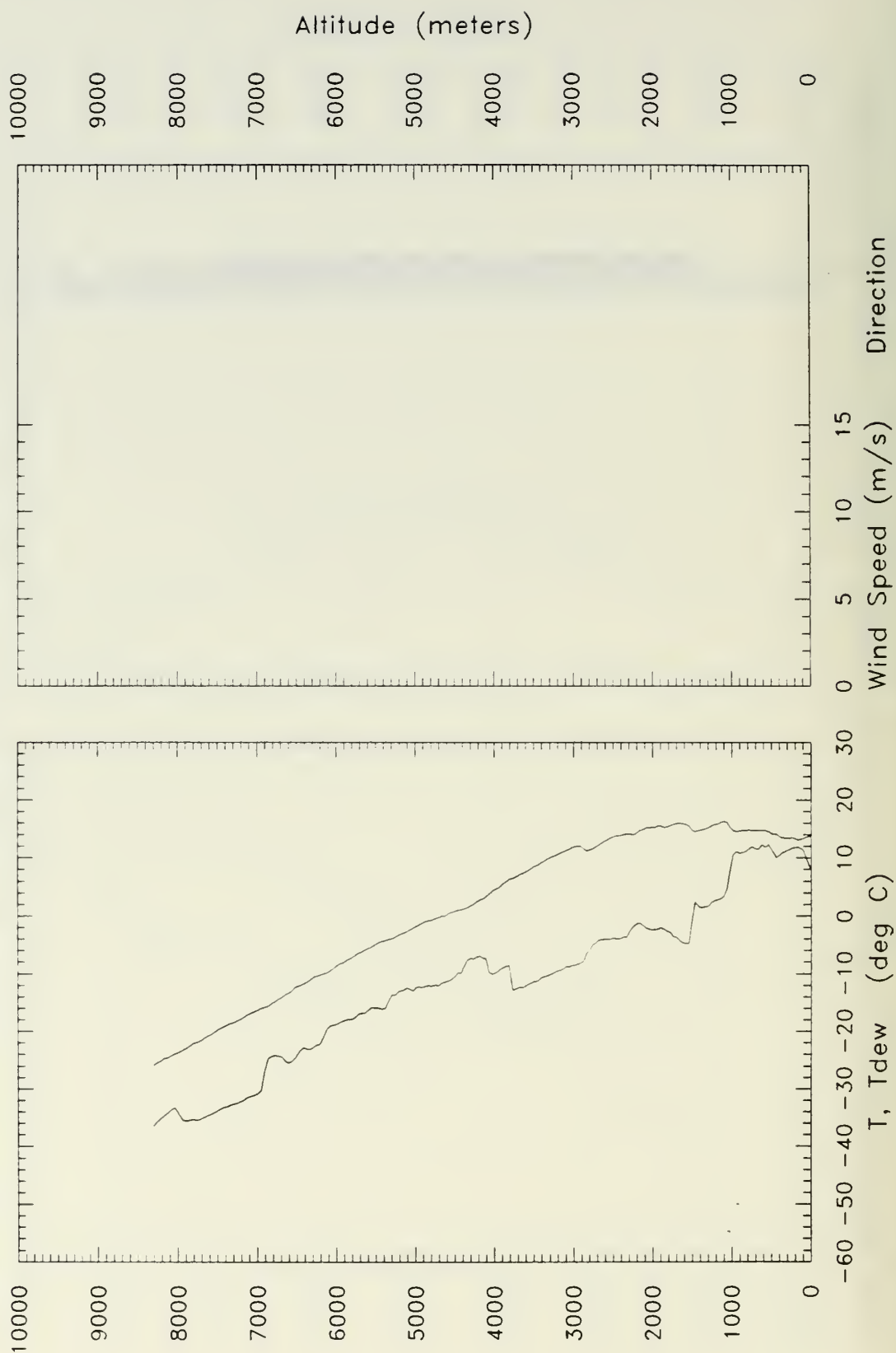
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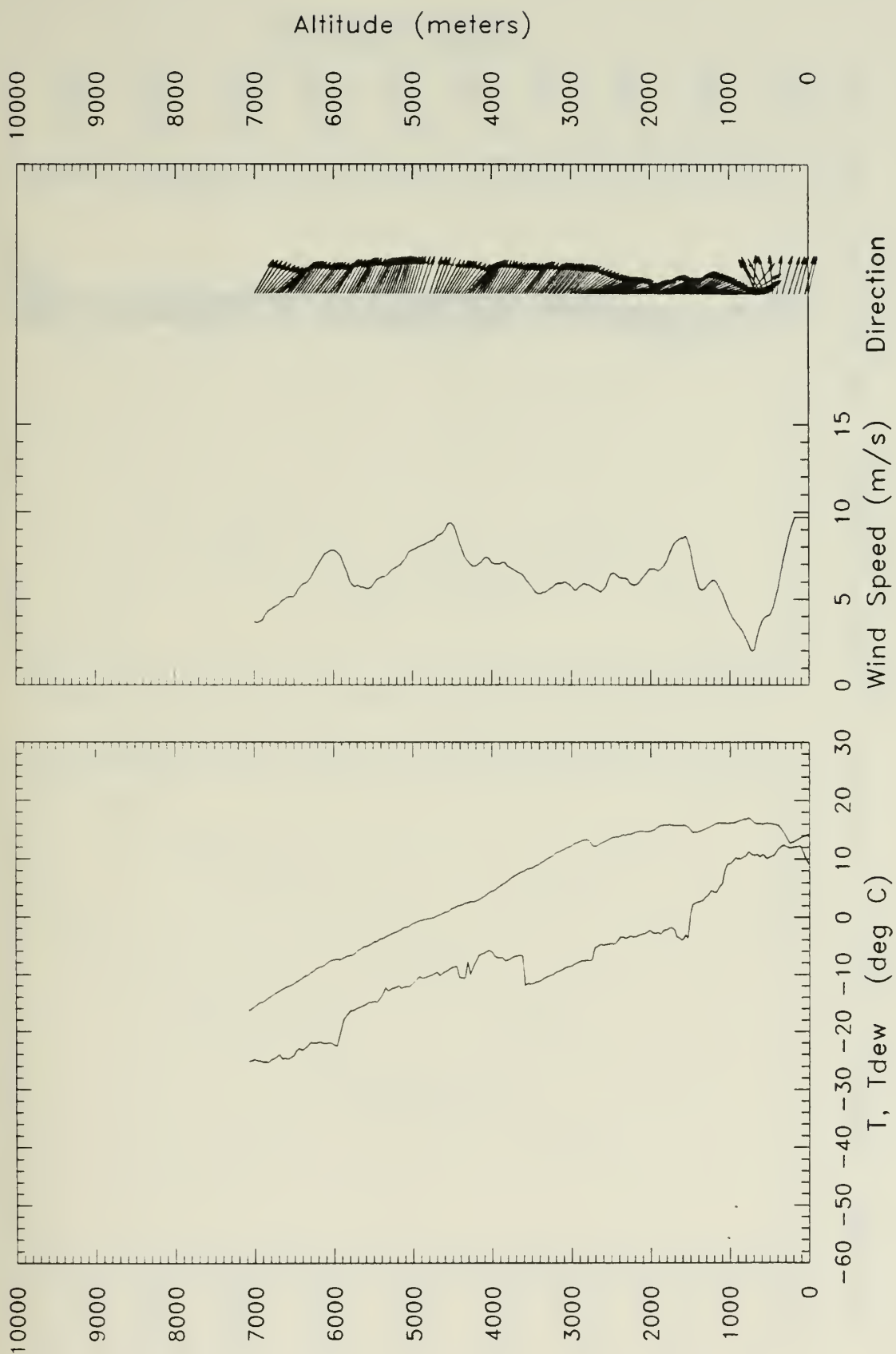
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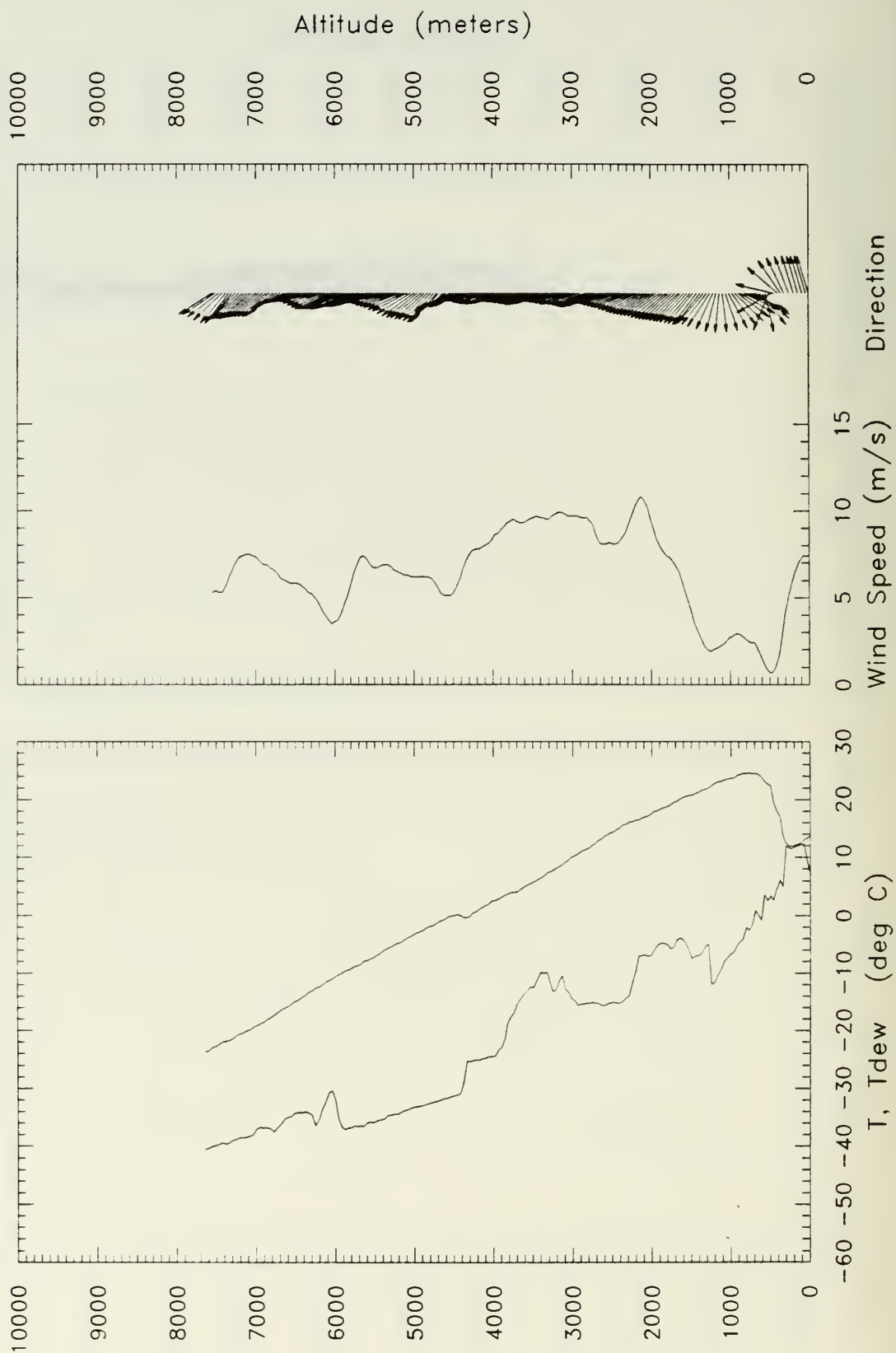
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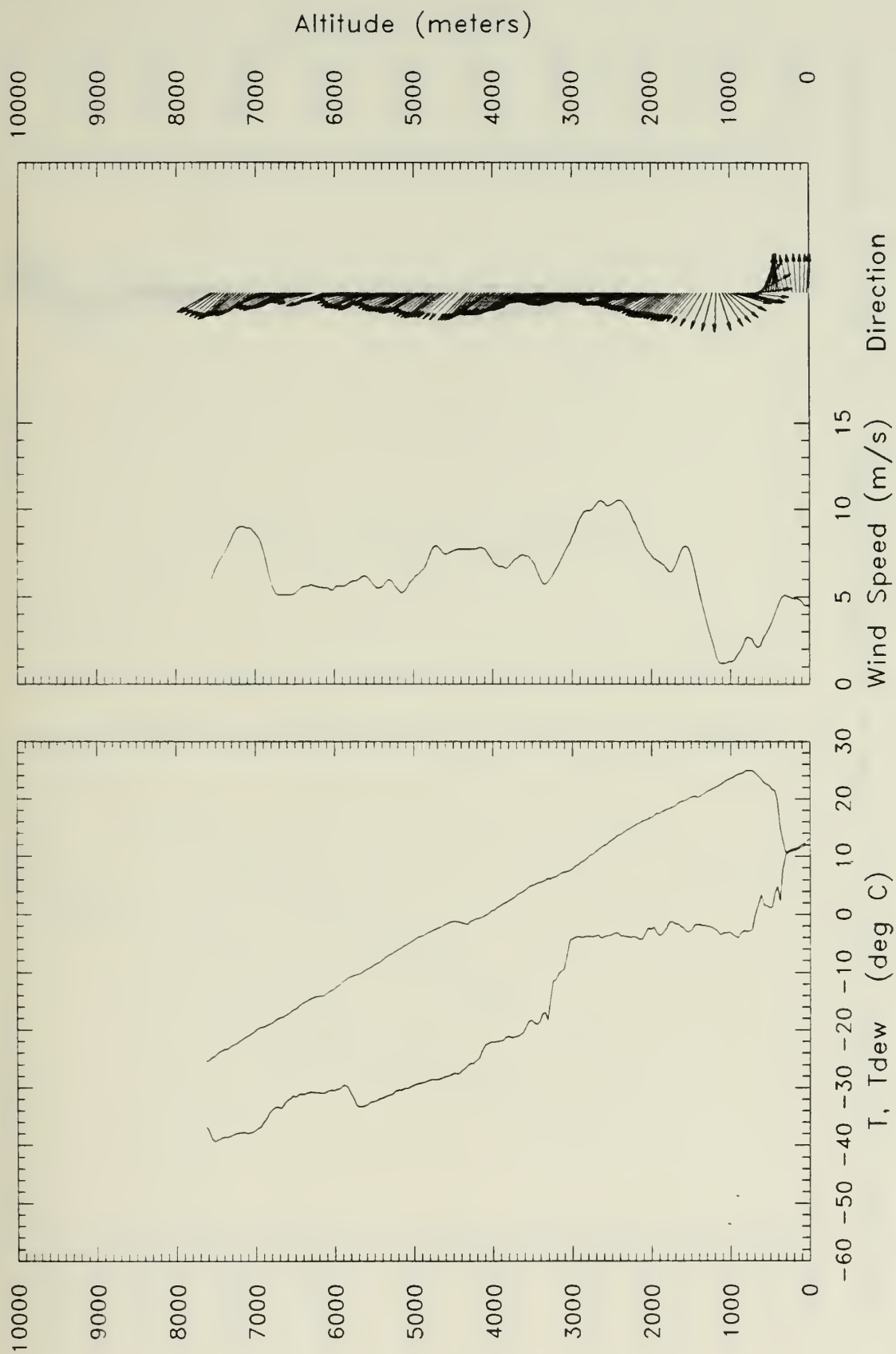
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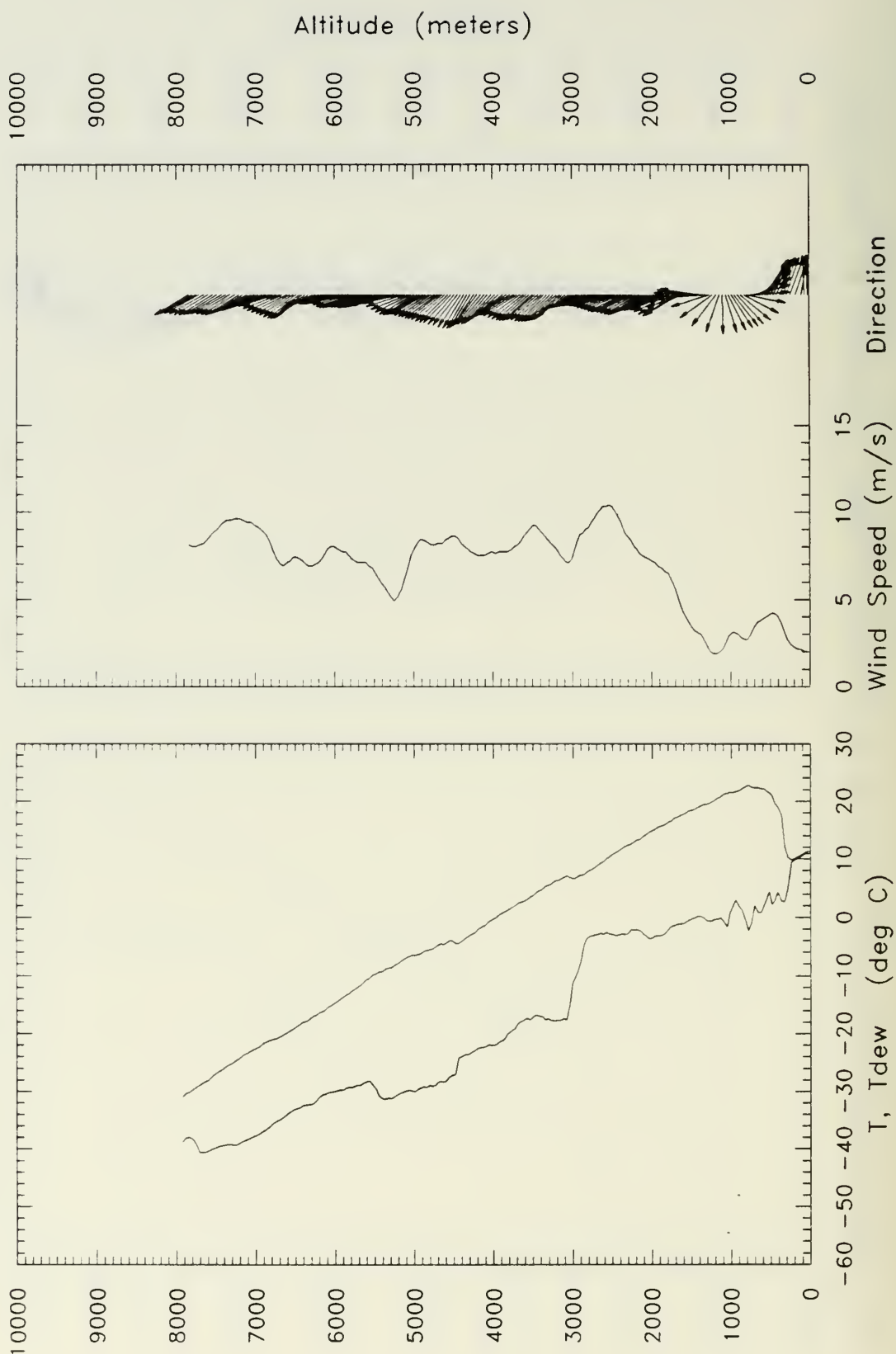
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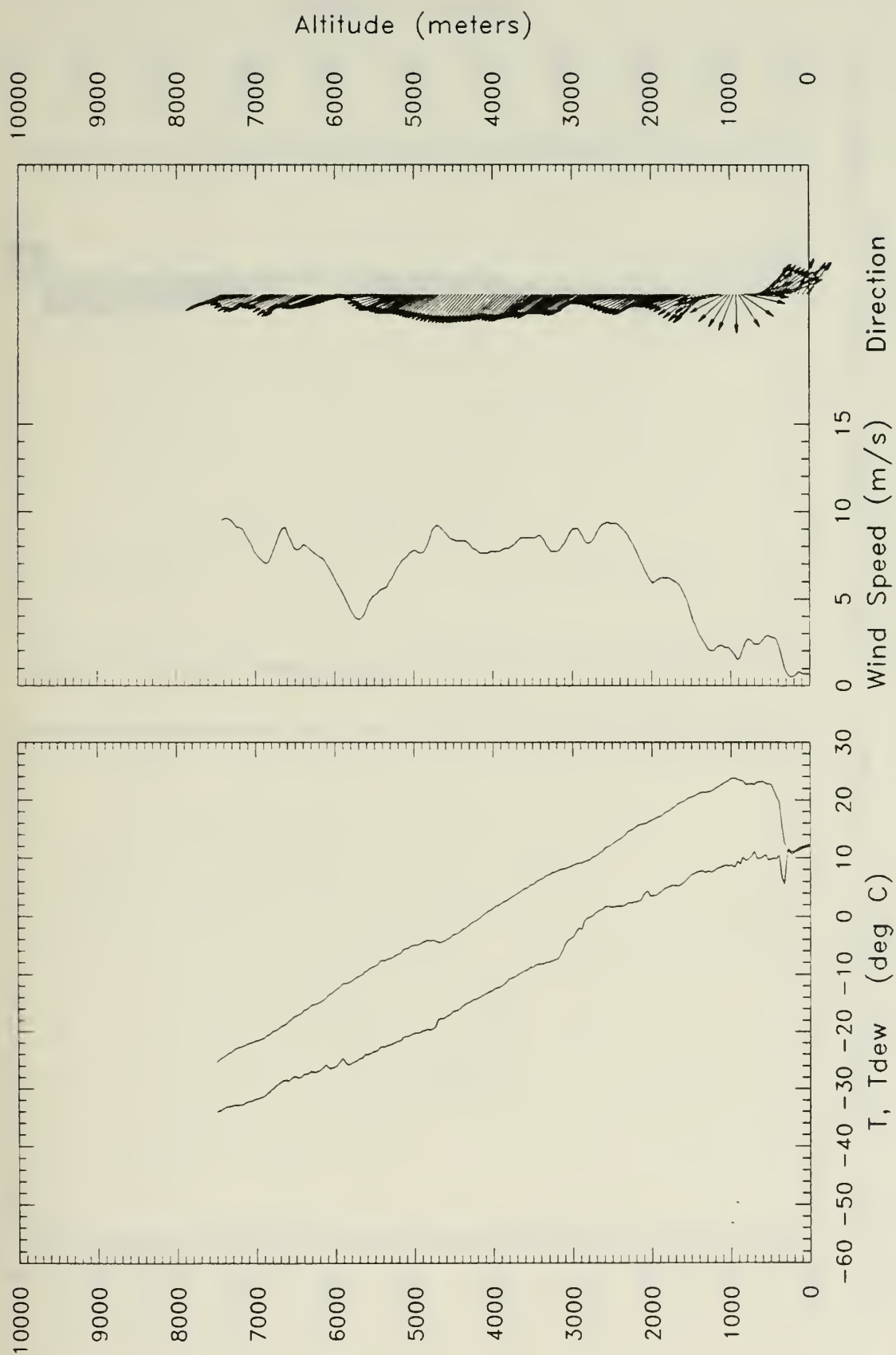
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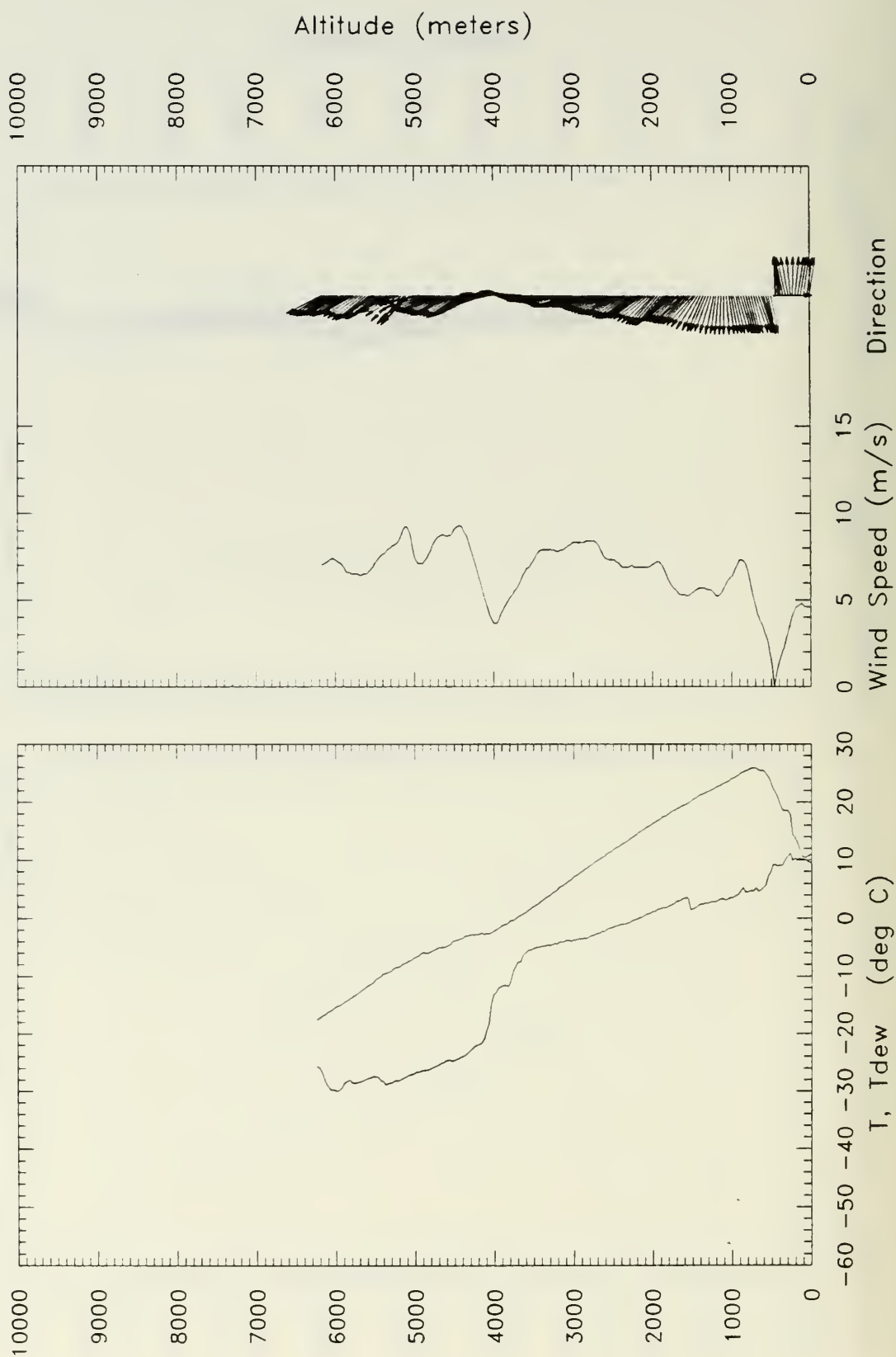
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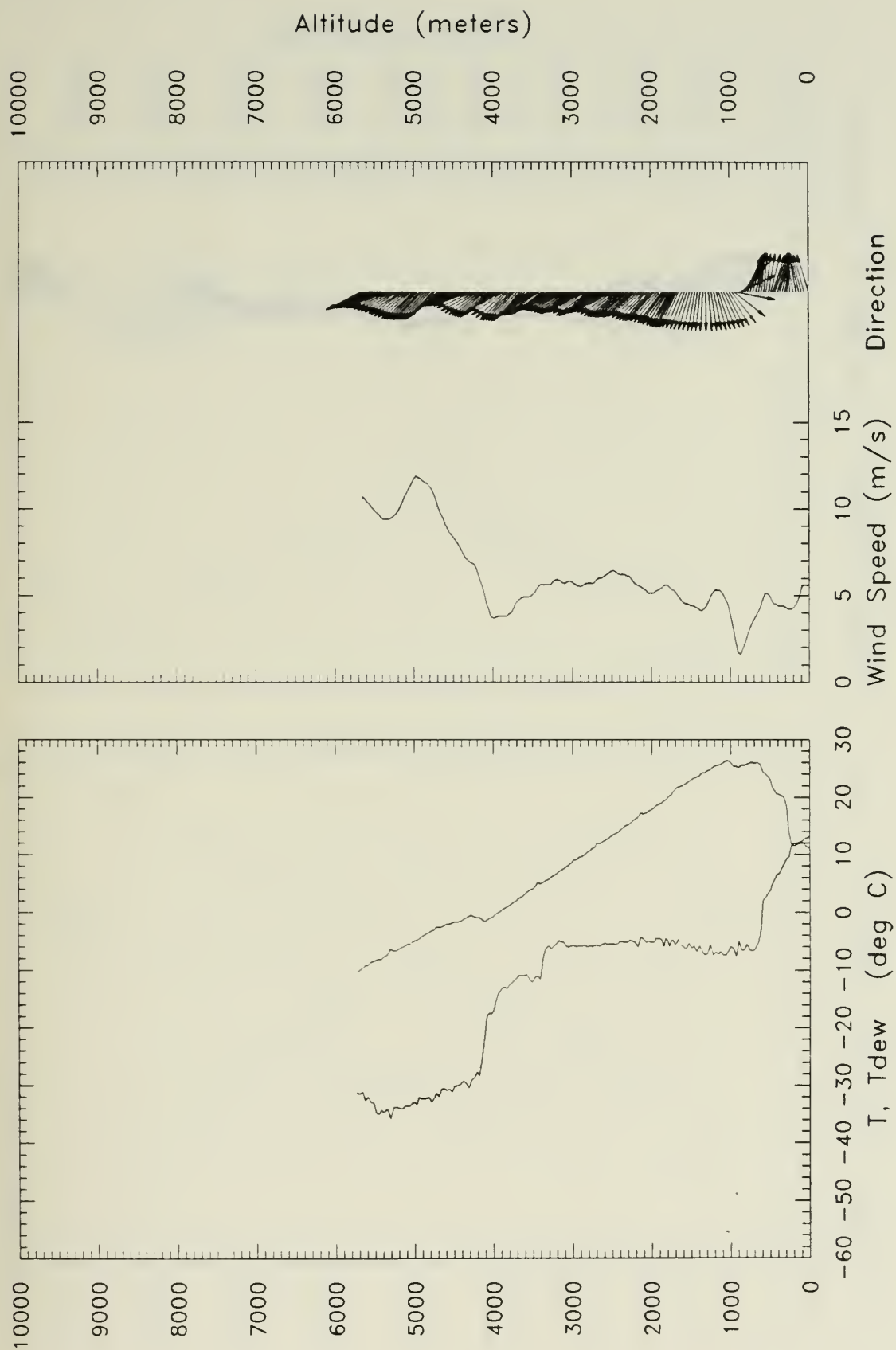
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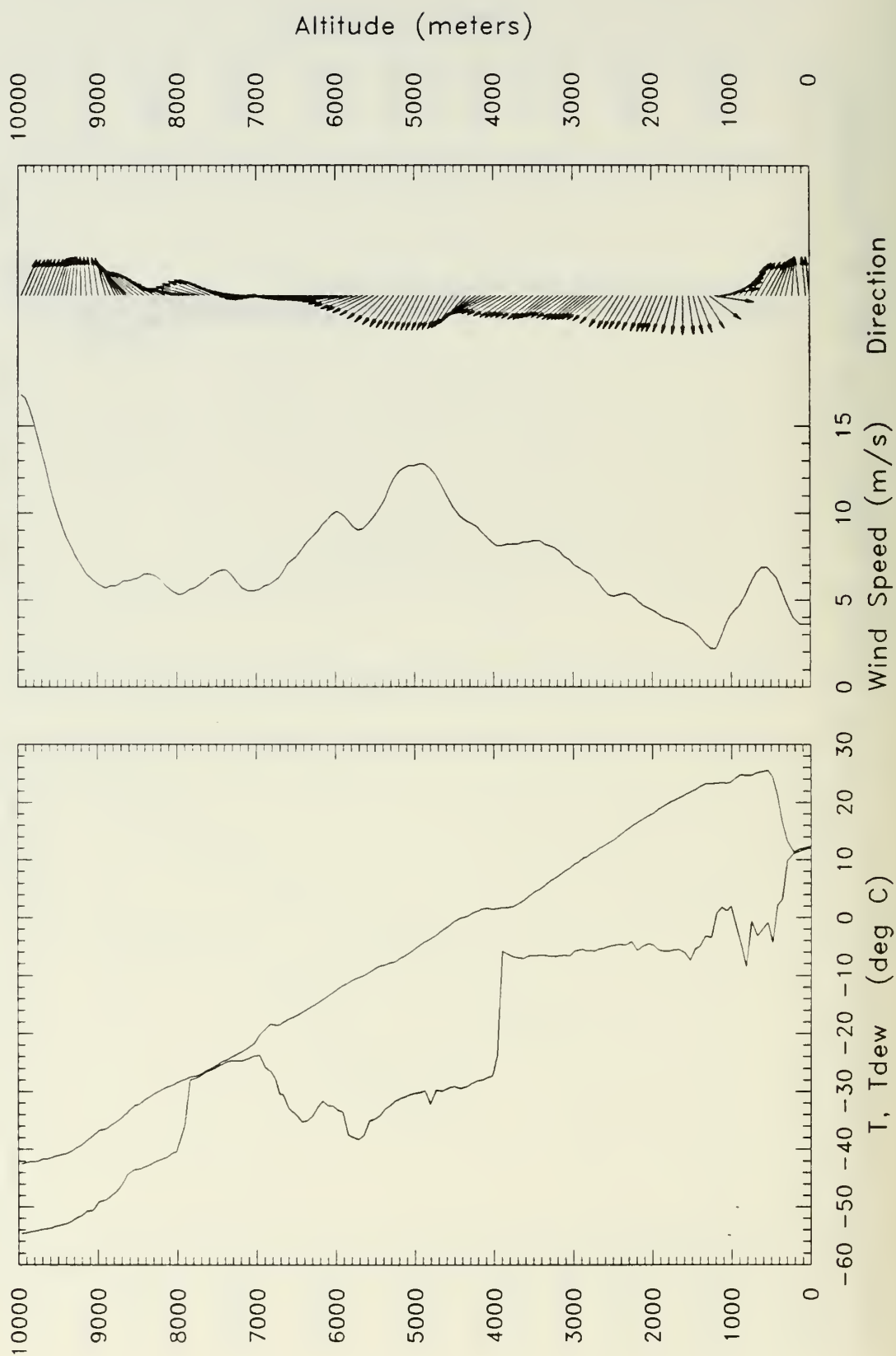
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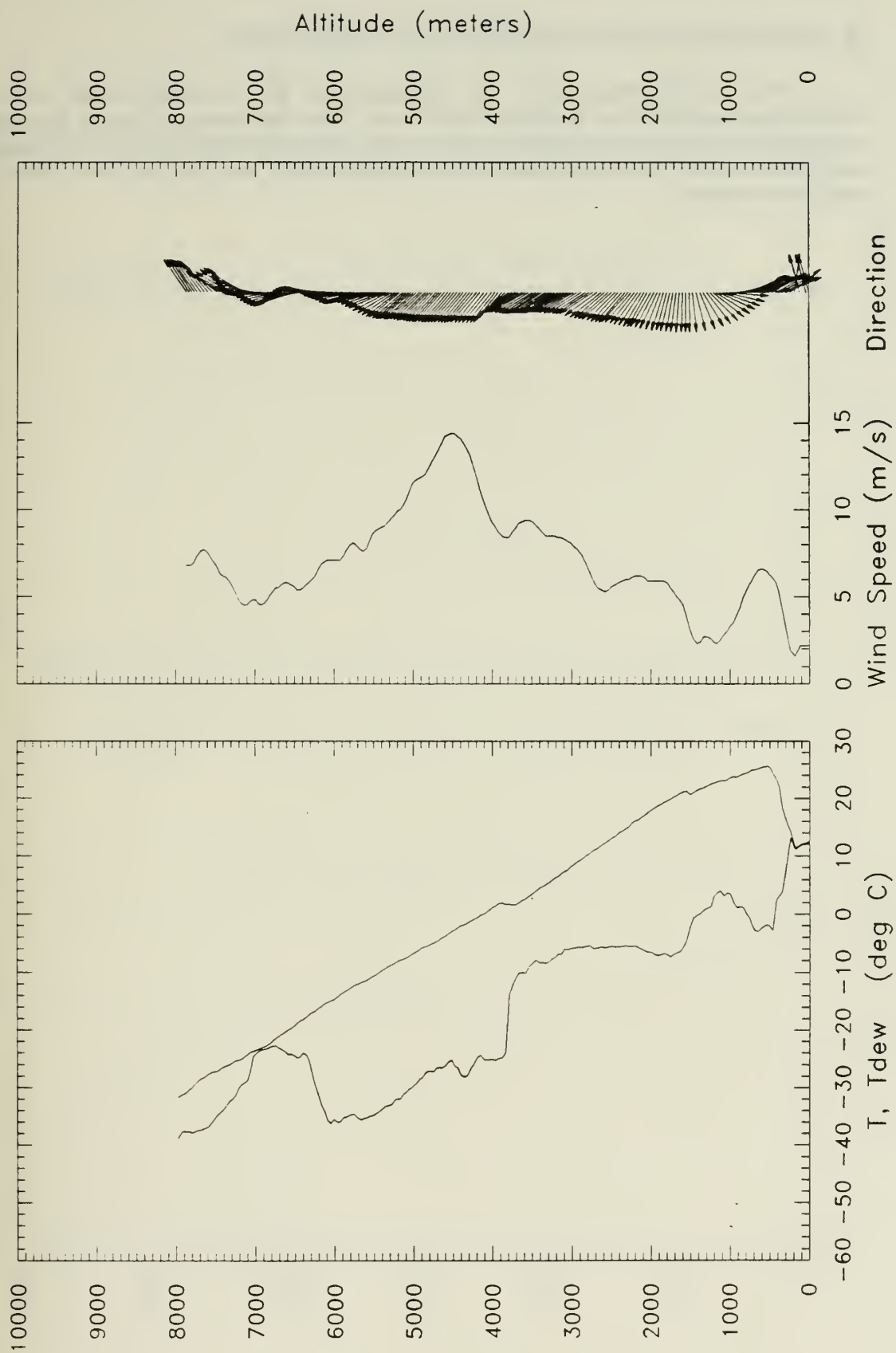
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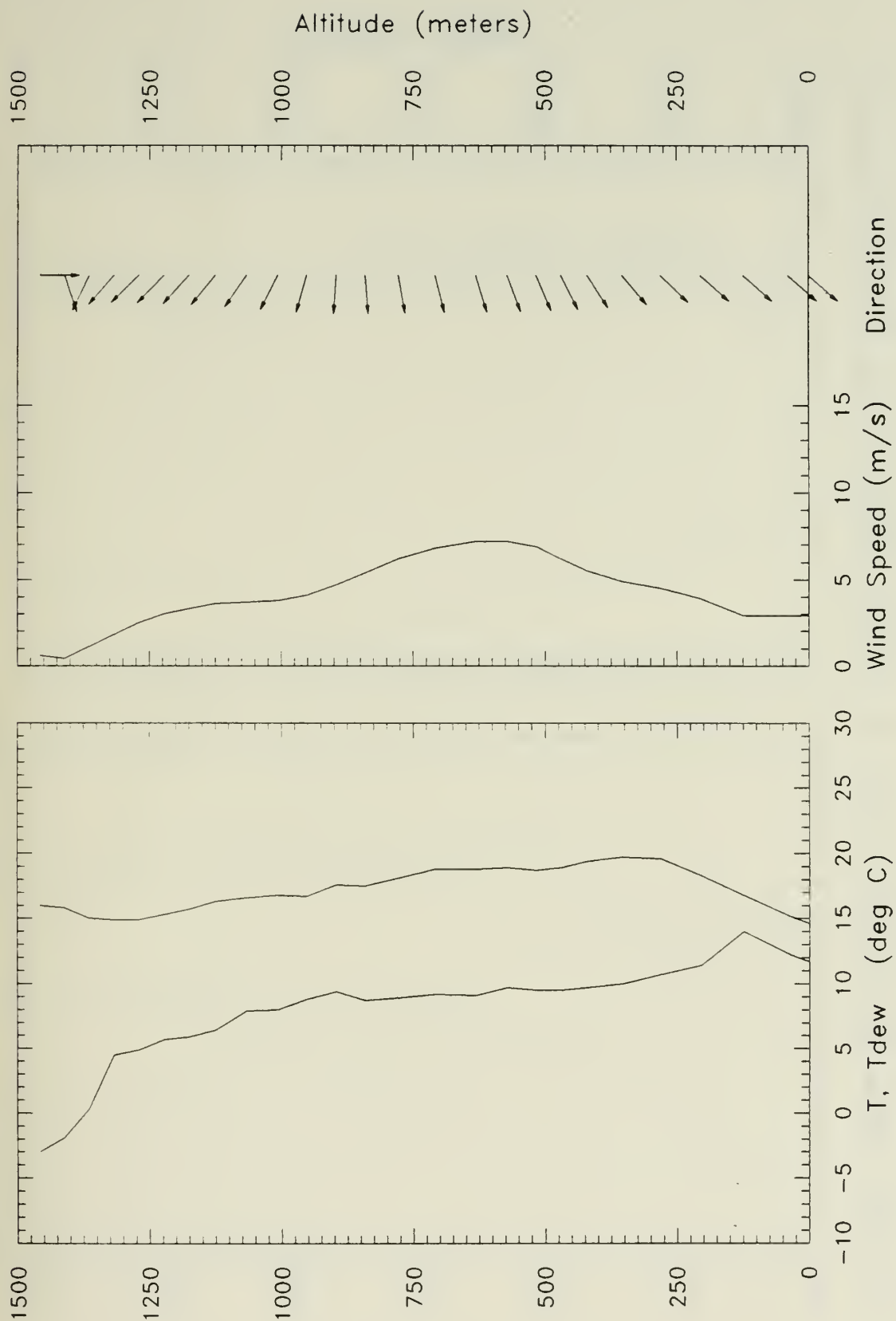
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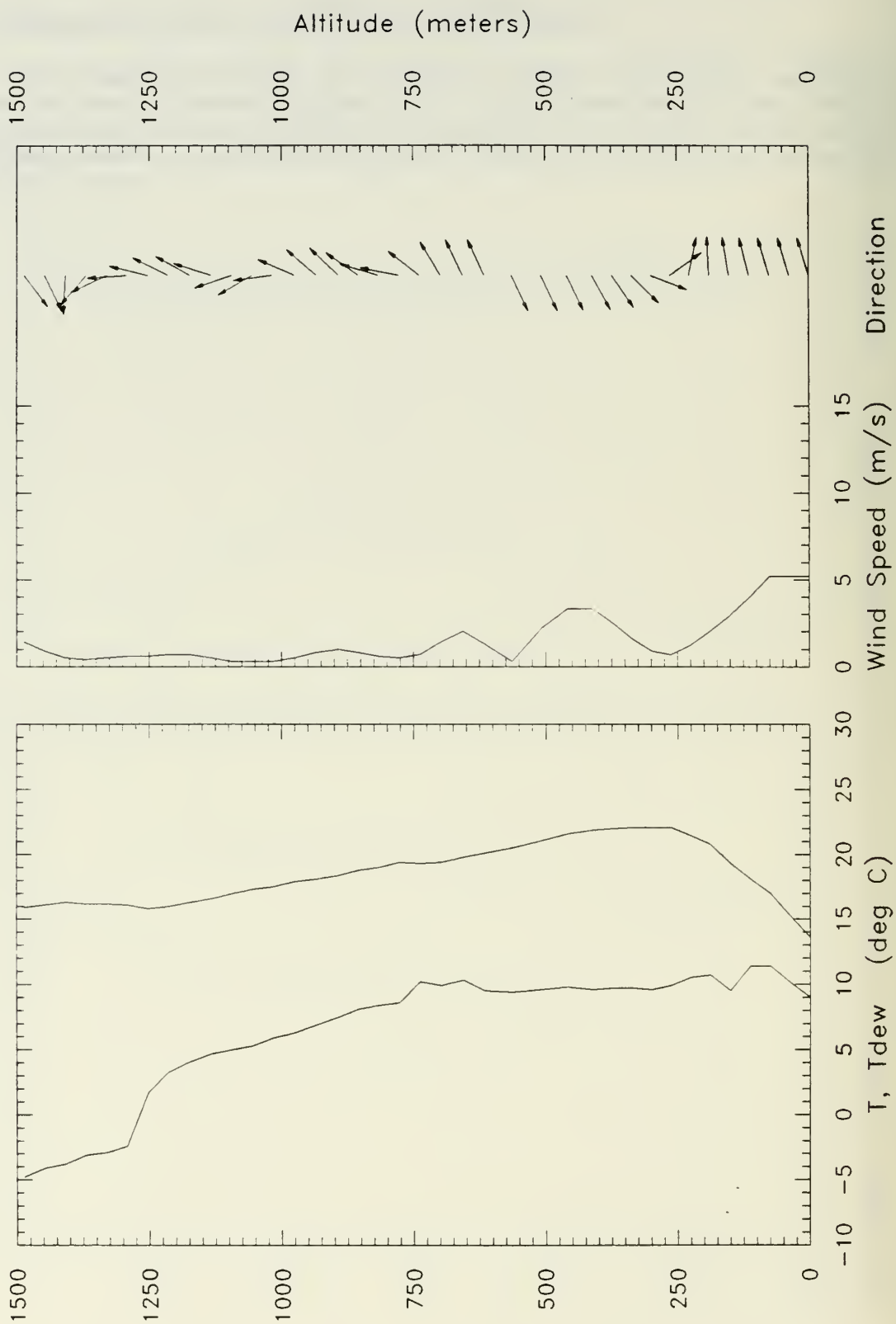
18. RAWINSONDE PROFILES (LOWEST 1500 M), SILVER PRINCE

This section presents the 28 thermodynamic and dynamic profiles collected by rawinsondes launched from the R/V Silver Prince. Only the lowest 1500 m of the profiles are presented in order to show structural detail associated with the boundary layer. The left panel for each page contains the a temperature and dewpoint profiles, and the right panel contains wind speed and direction.

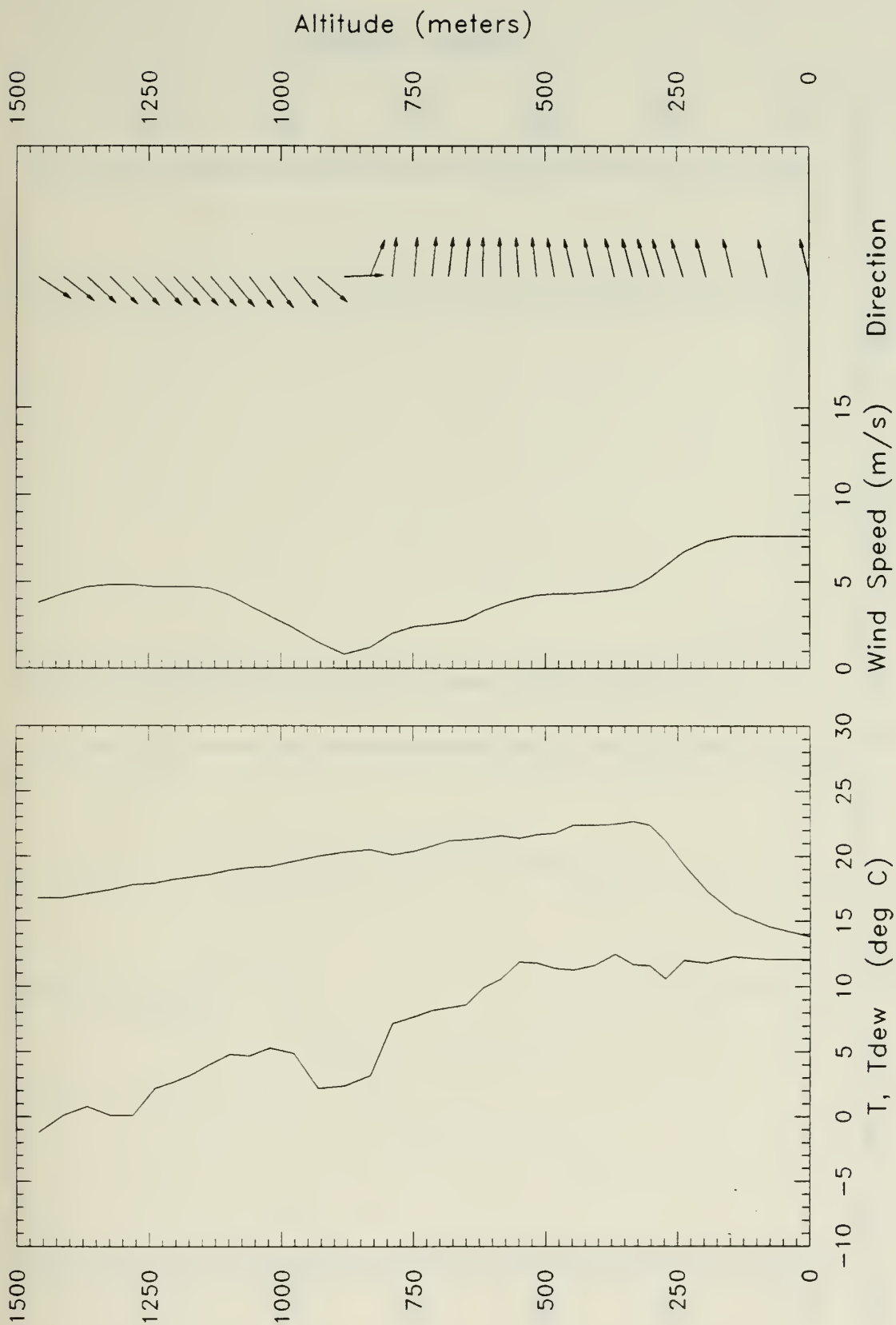
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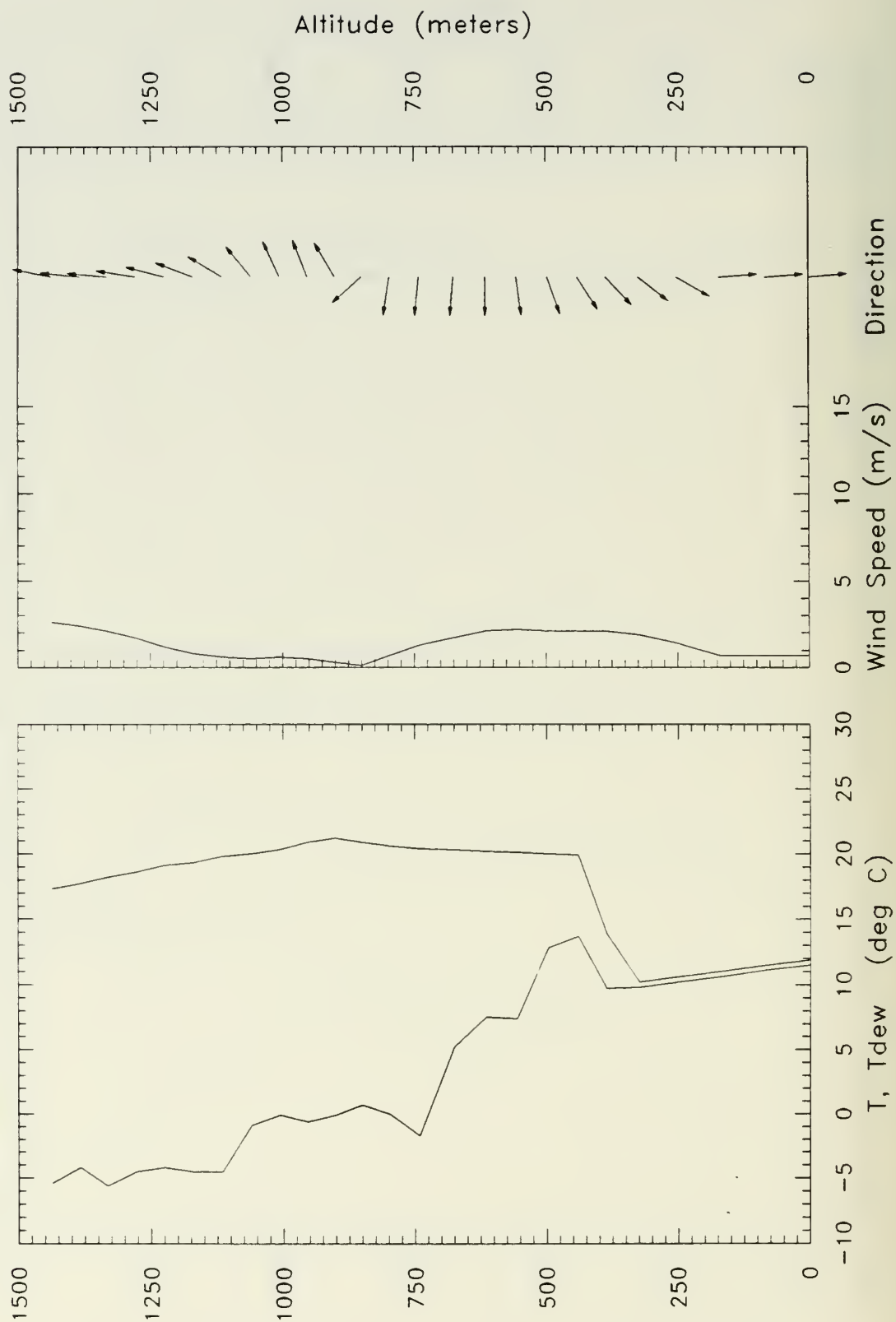
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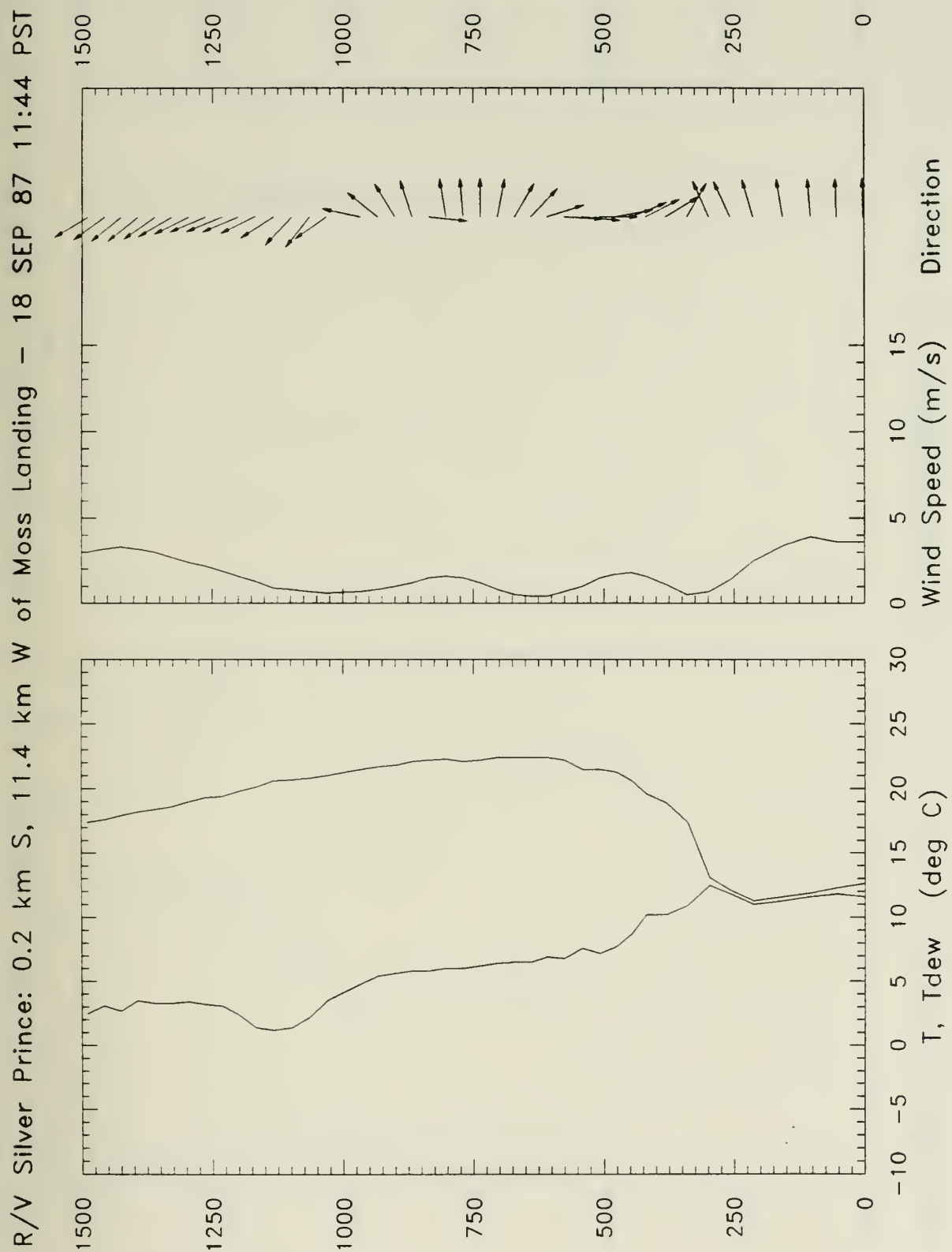


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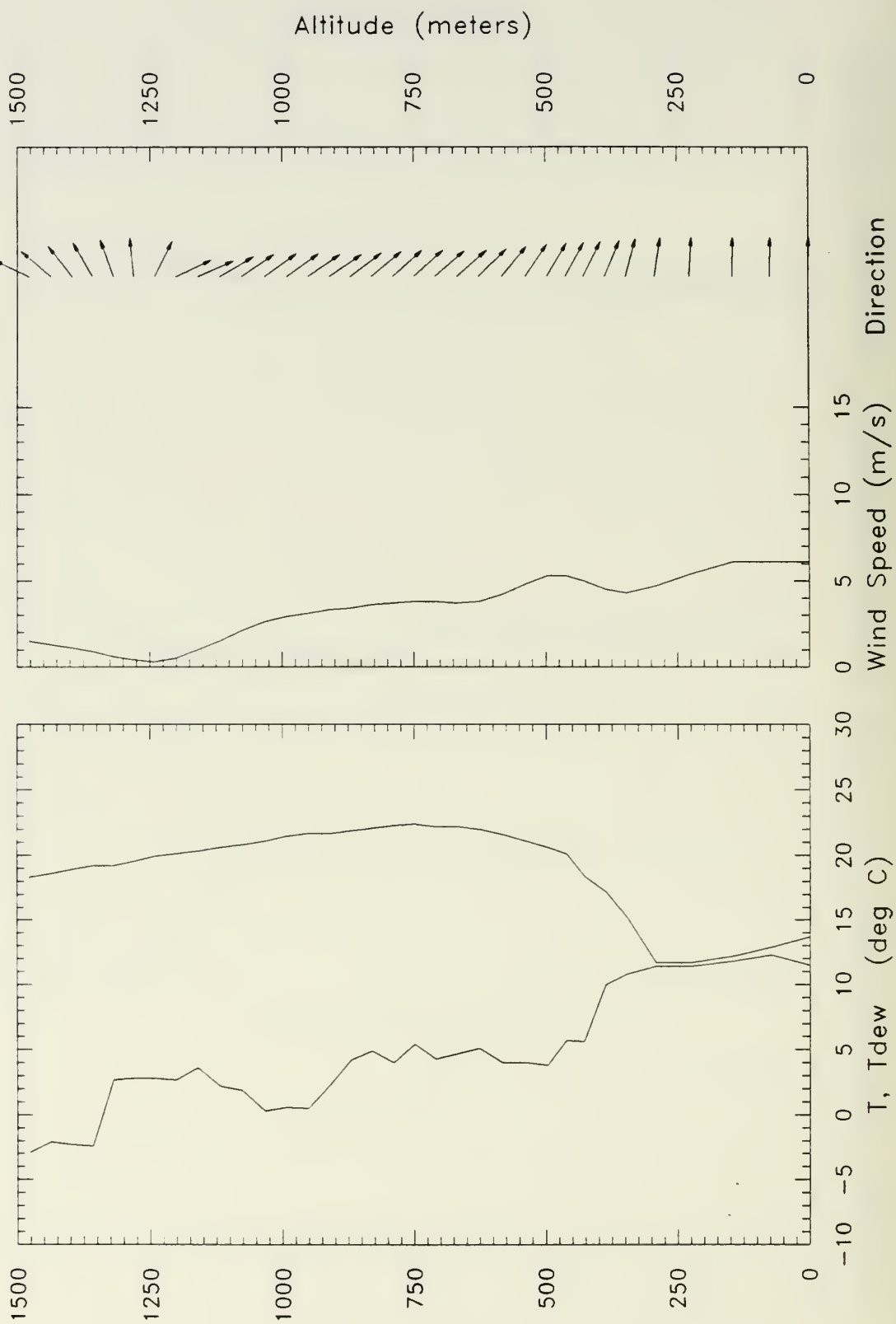


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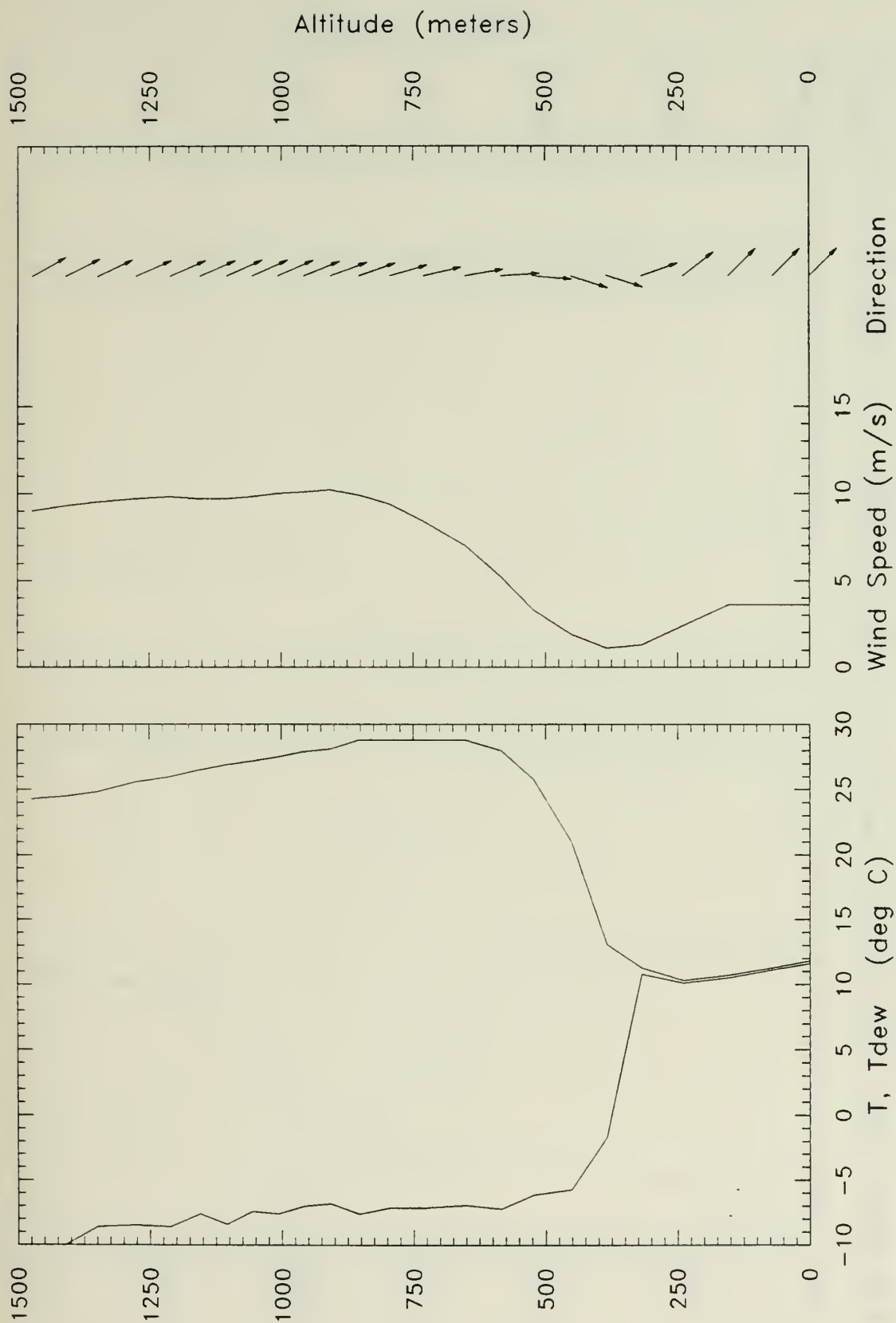




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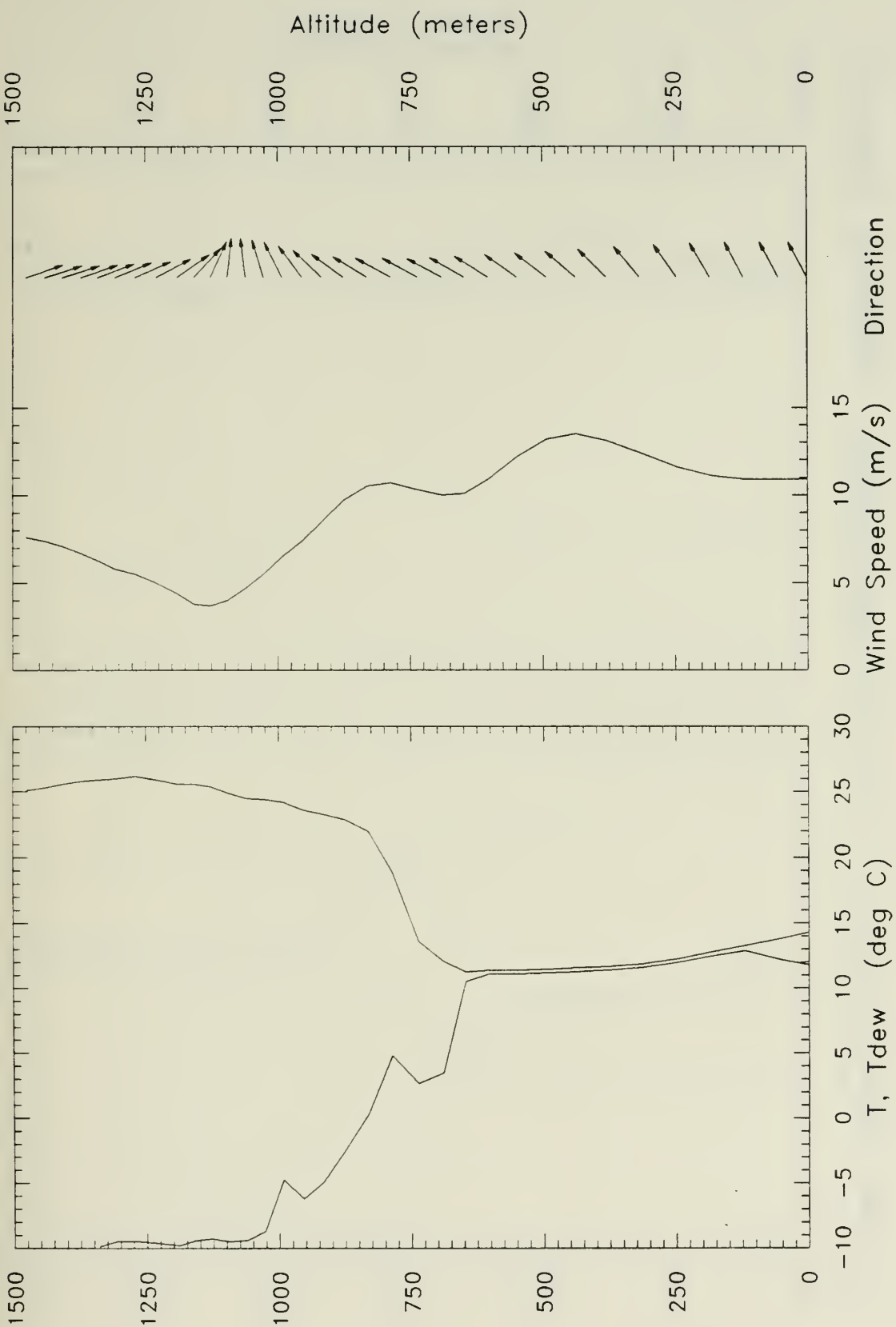
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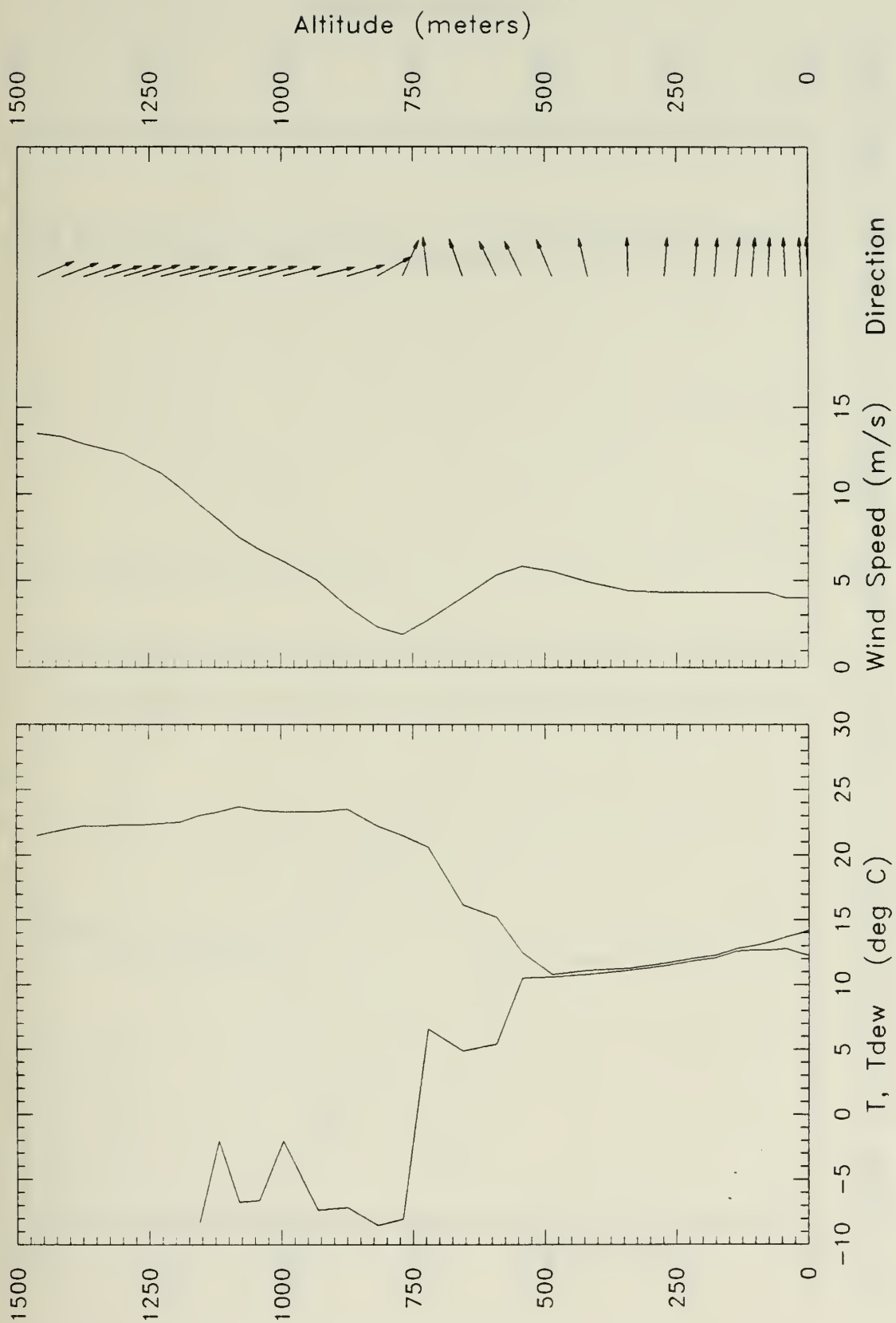
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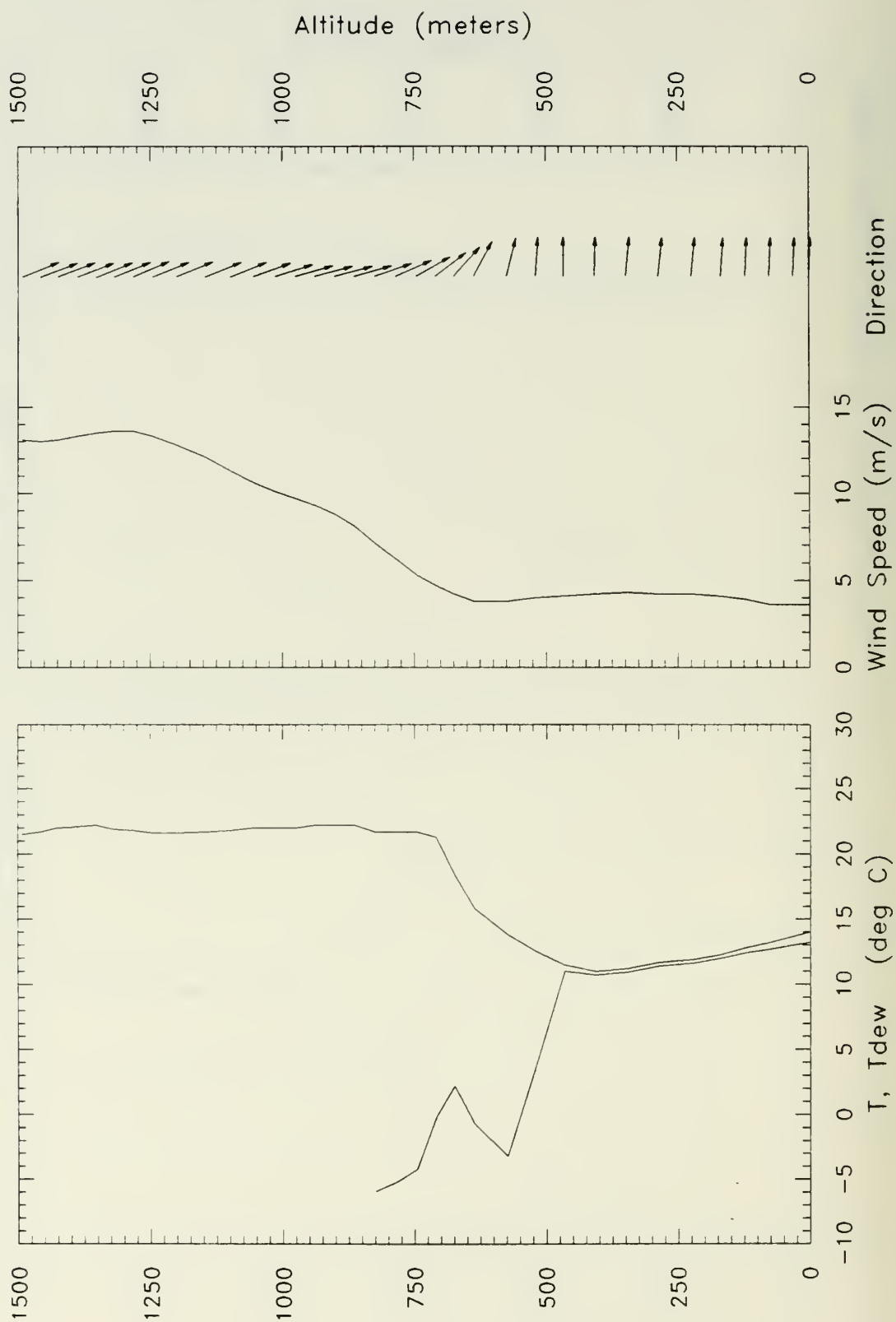
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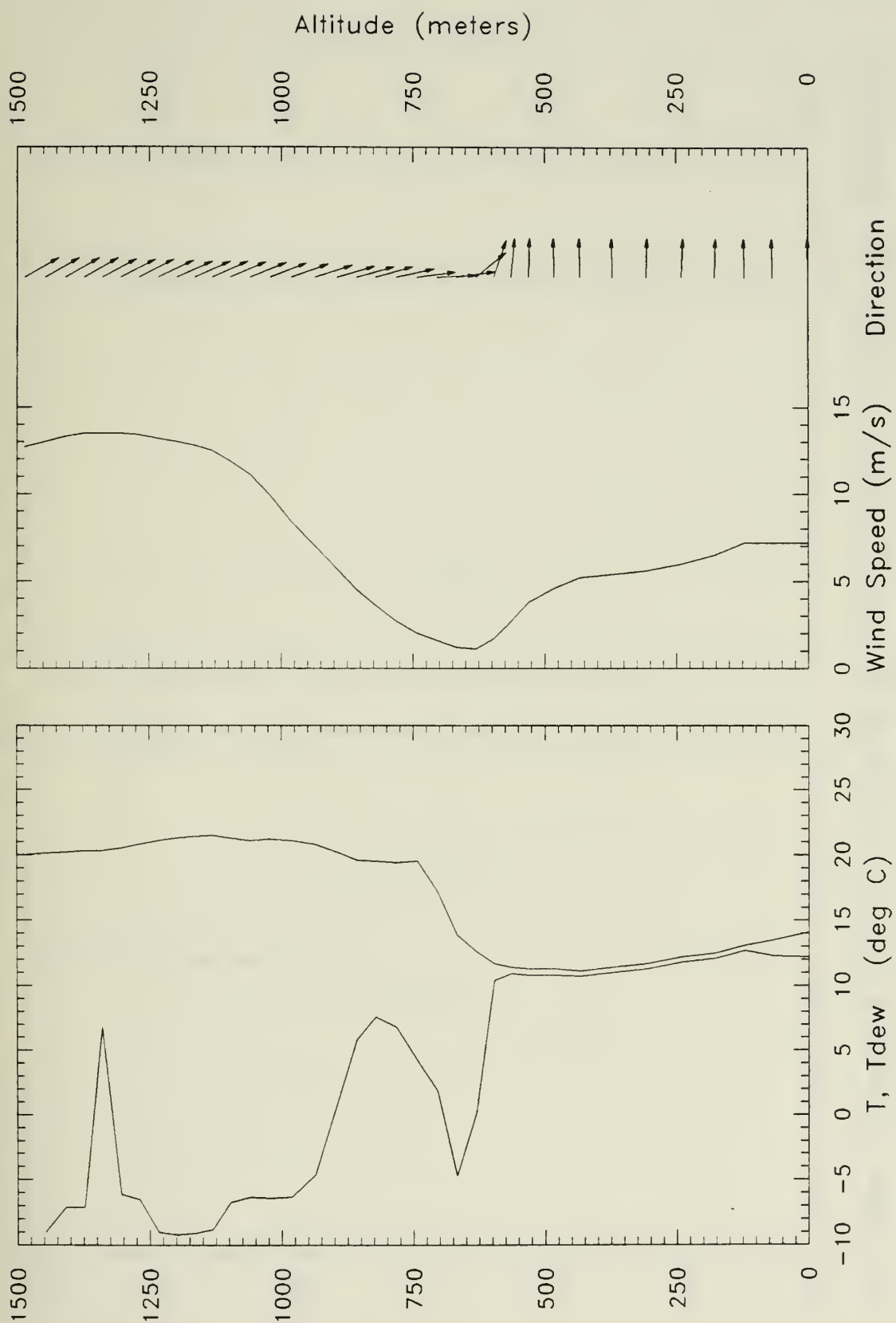
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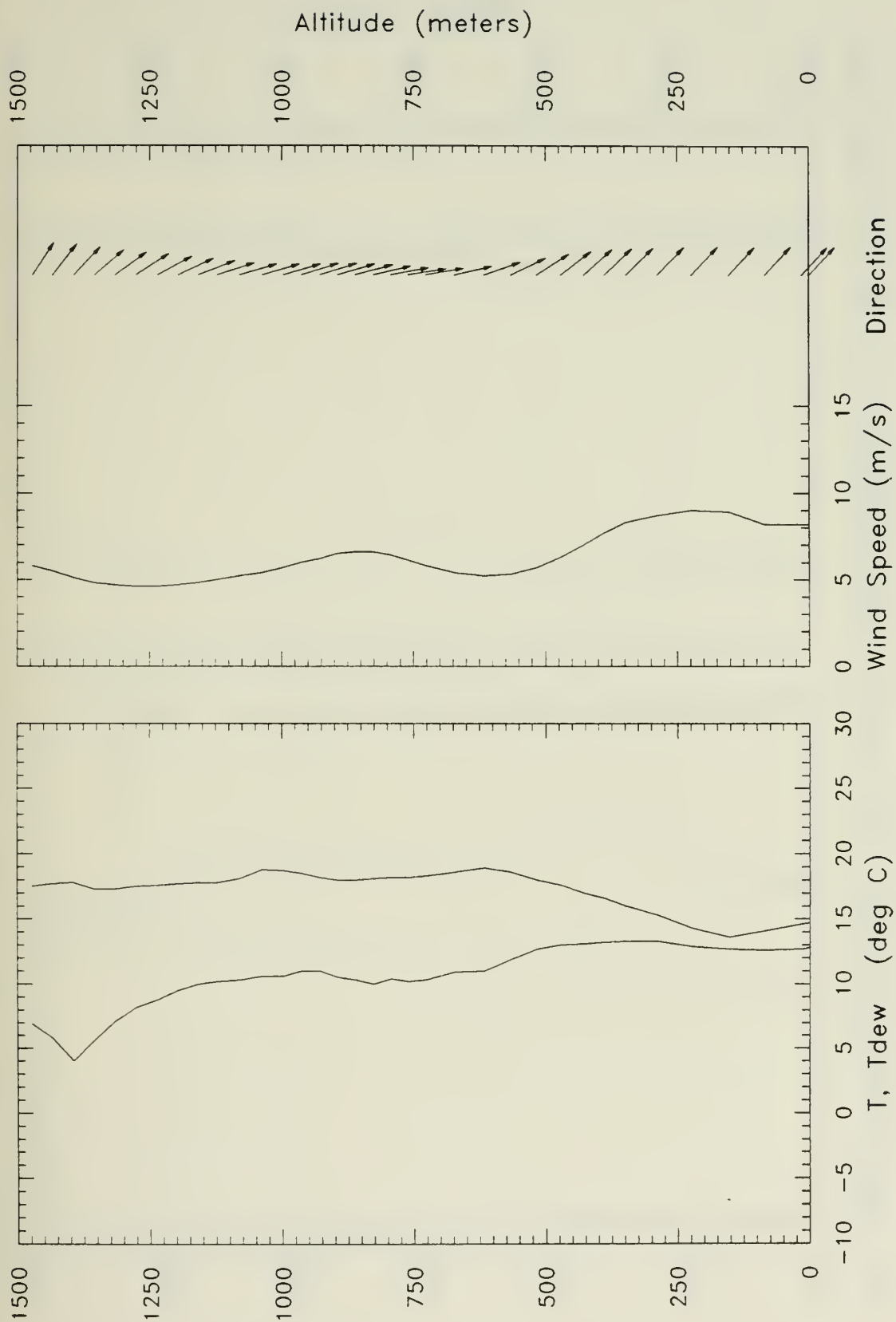
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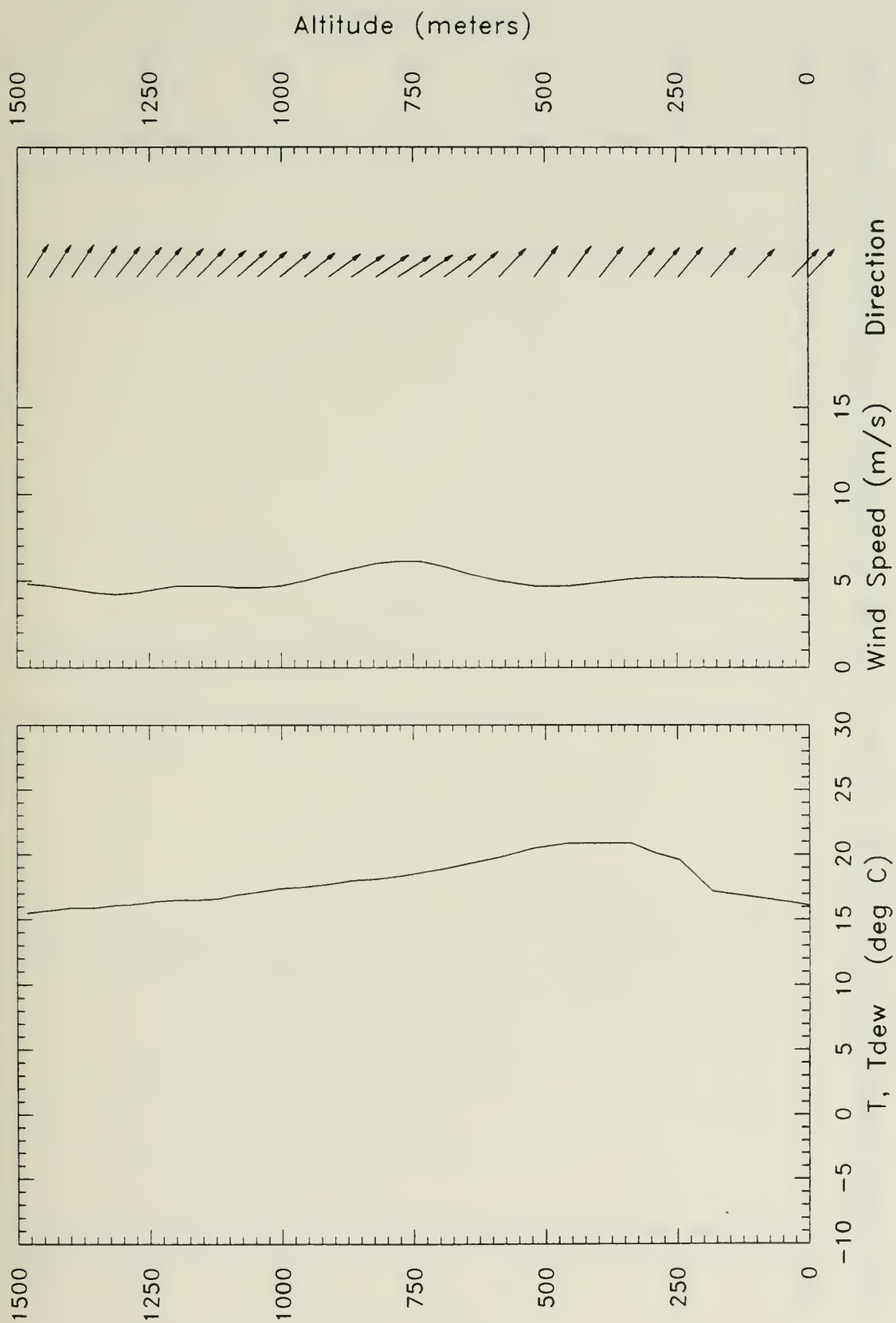
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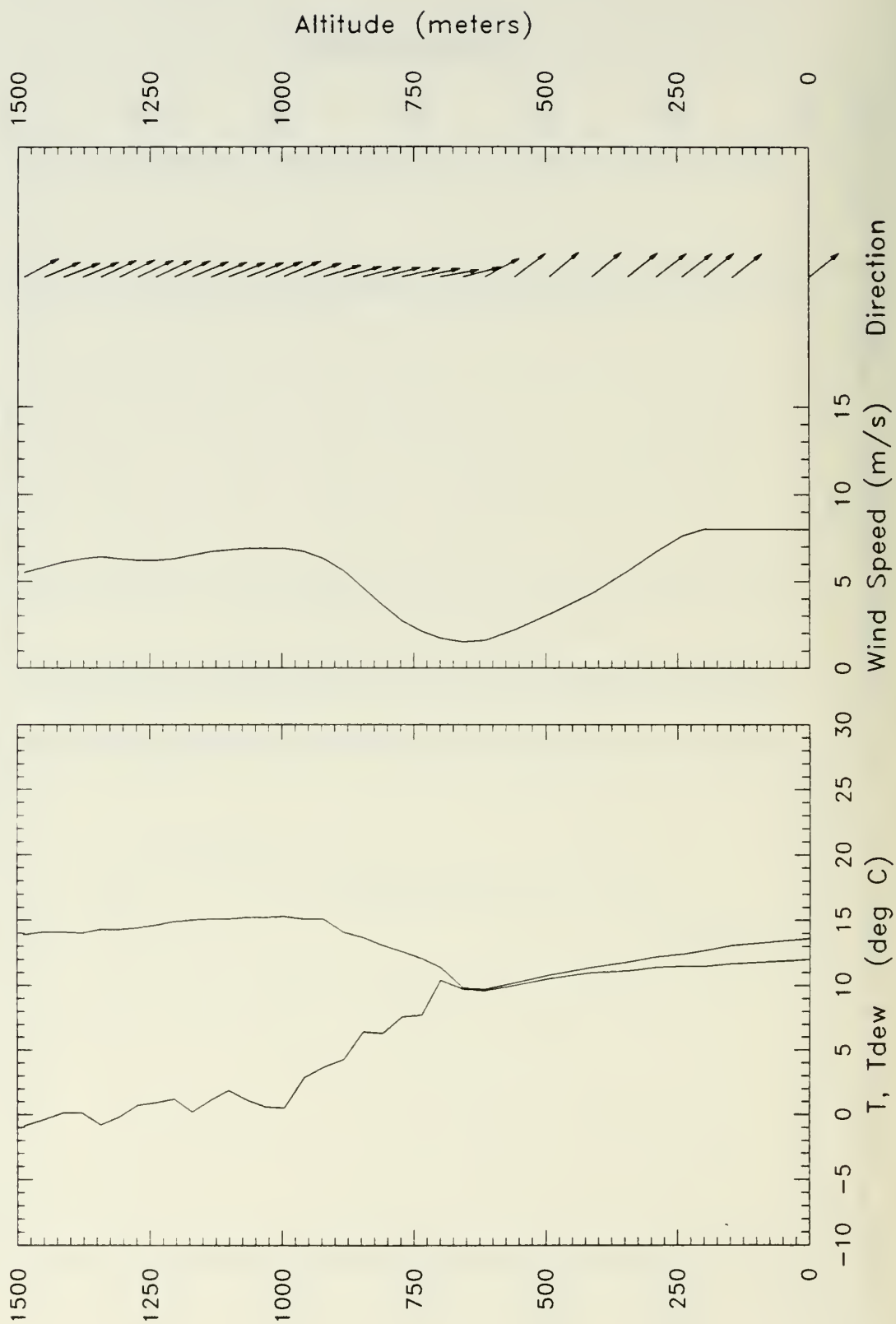
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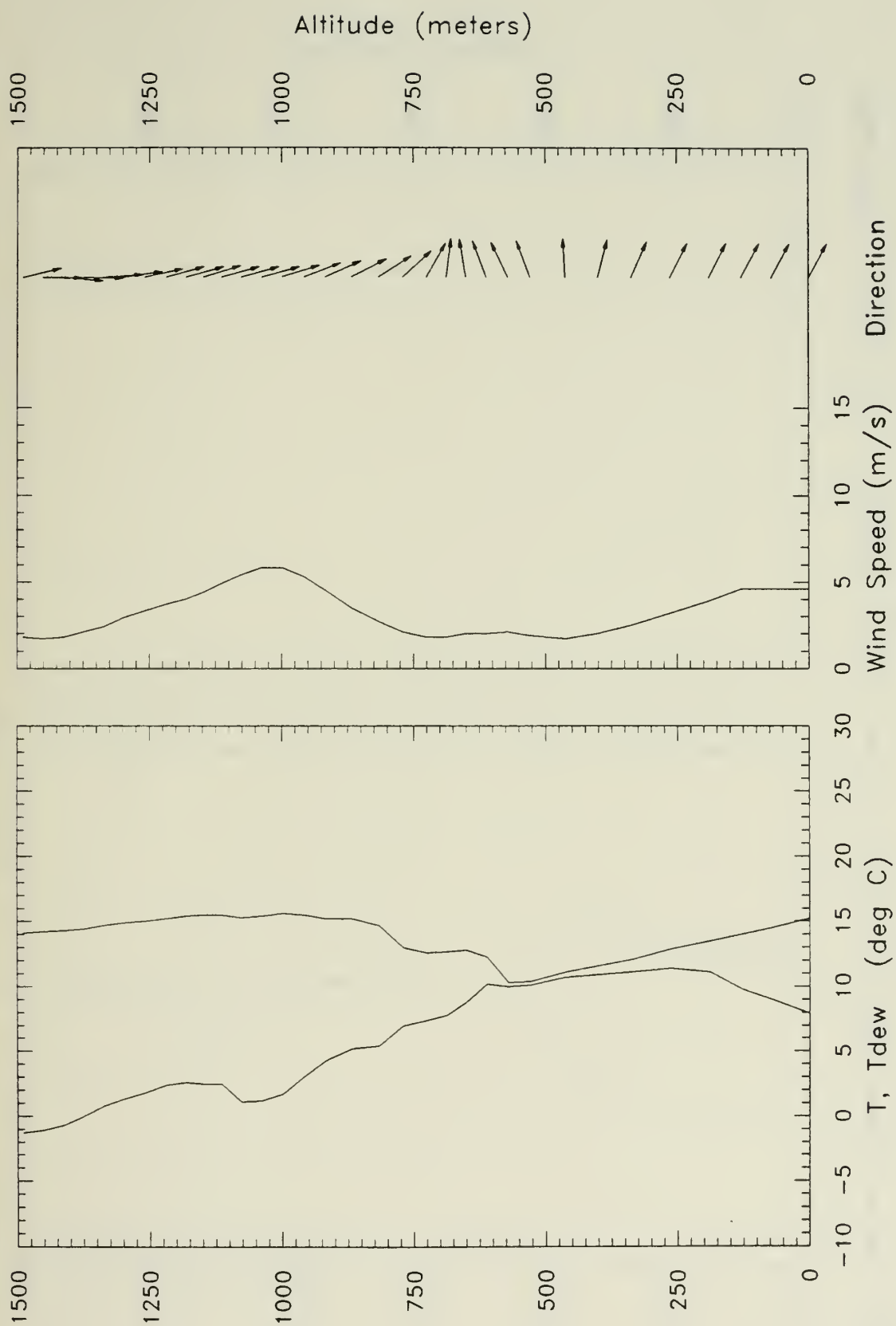
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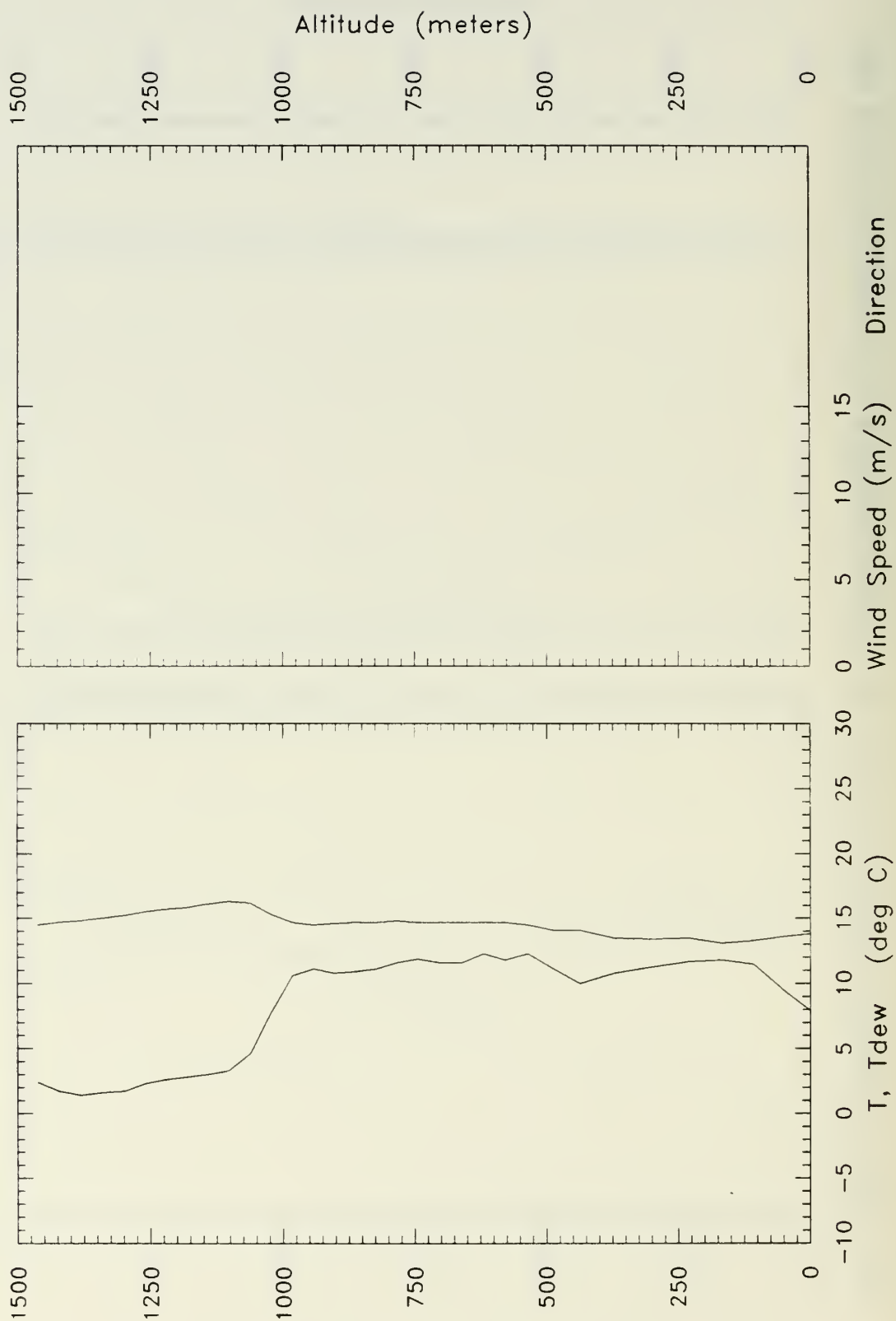
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R/V Silver Prince: 0.1 km N, 11.4 km W of Moss Landing - 25 SEP 87 10:25 PST



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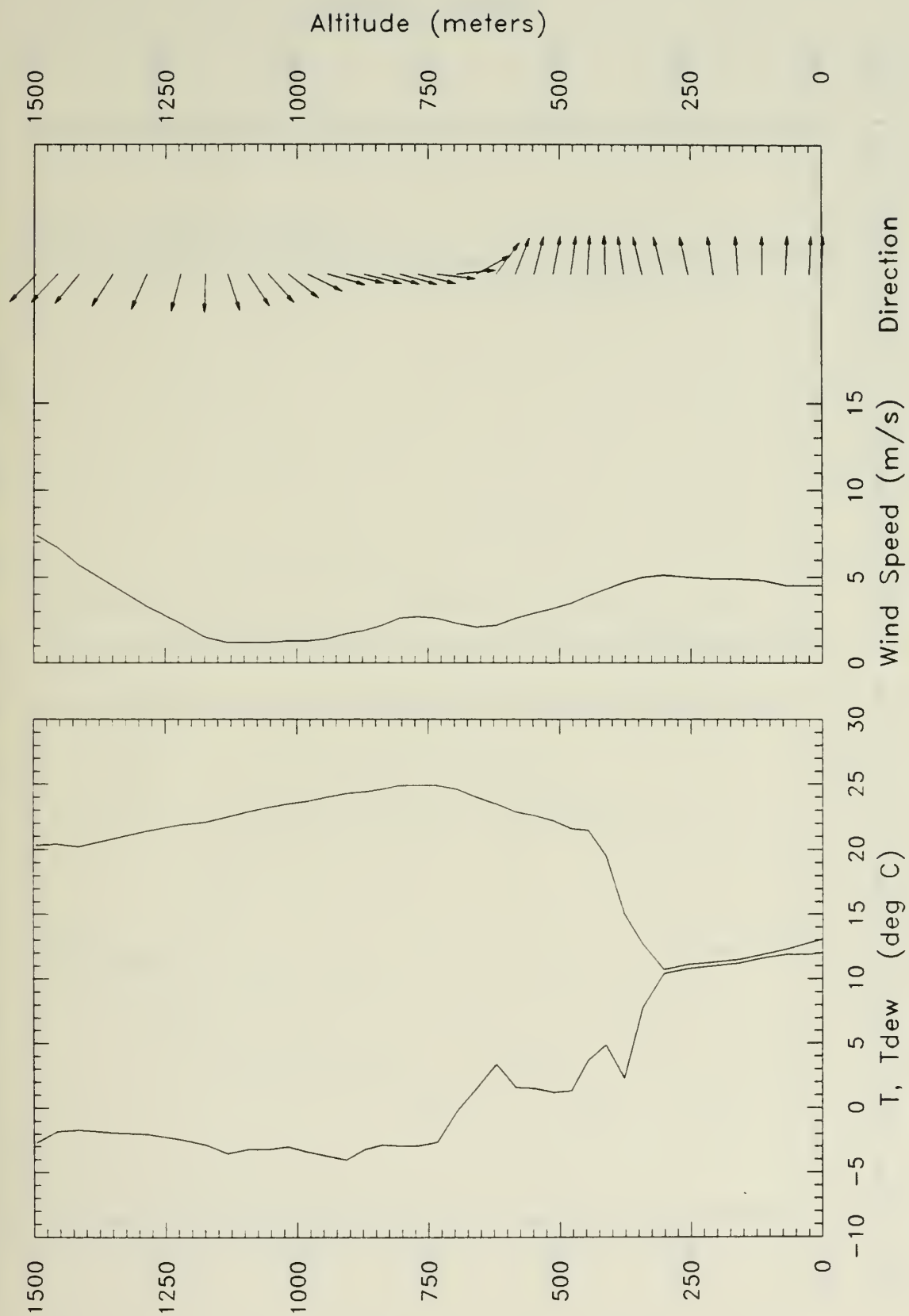
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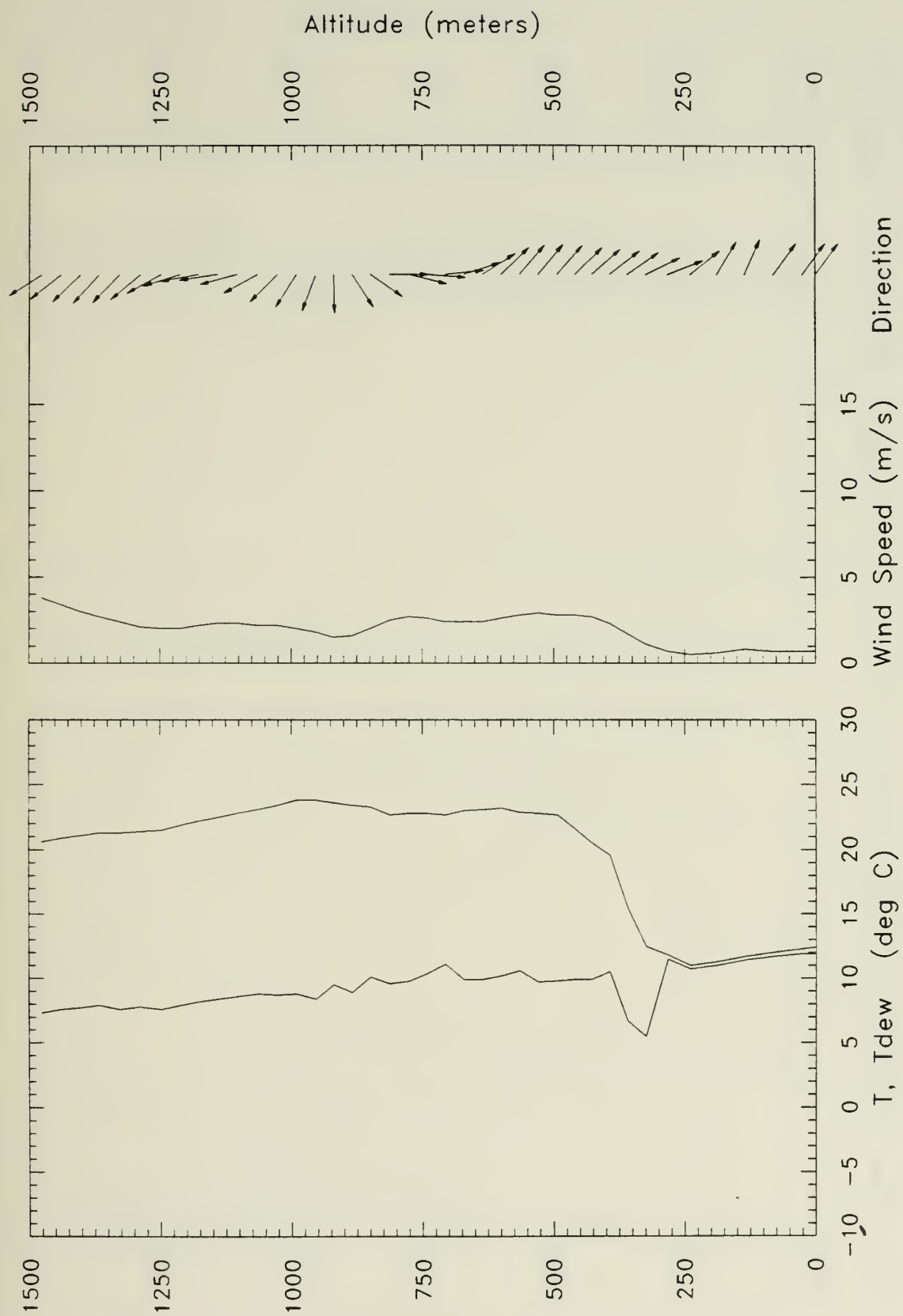
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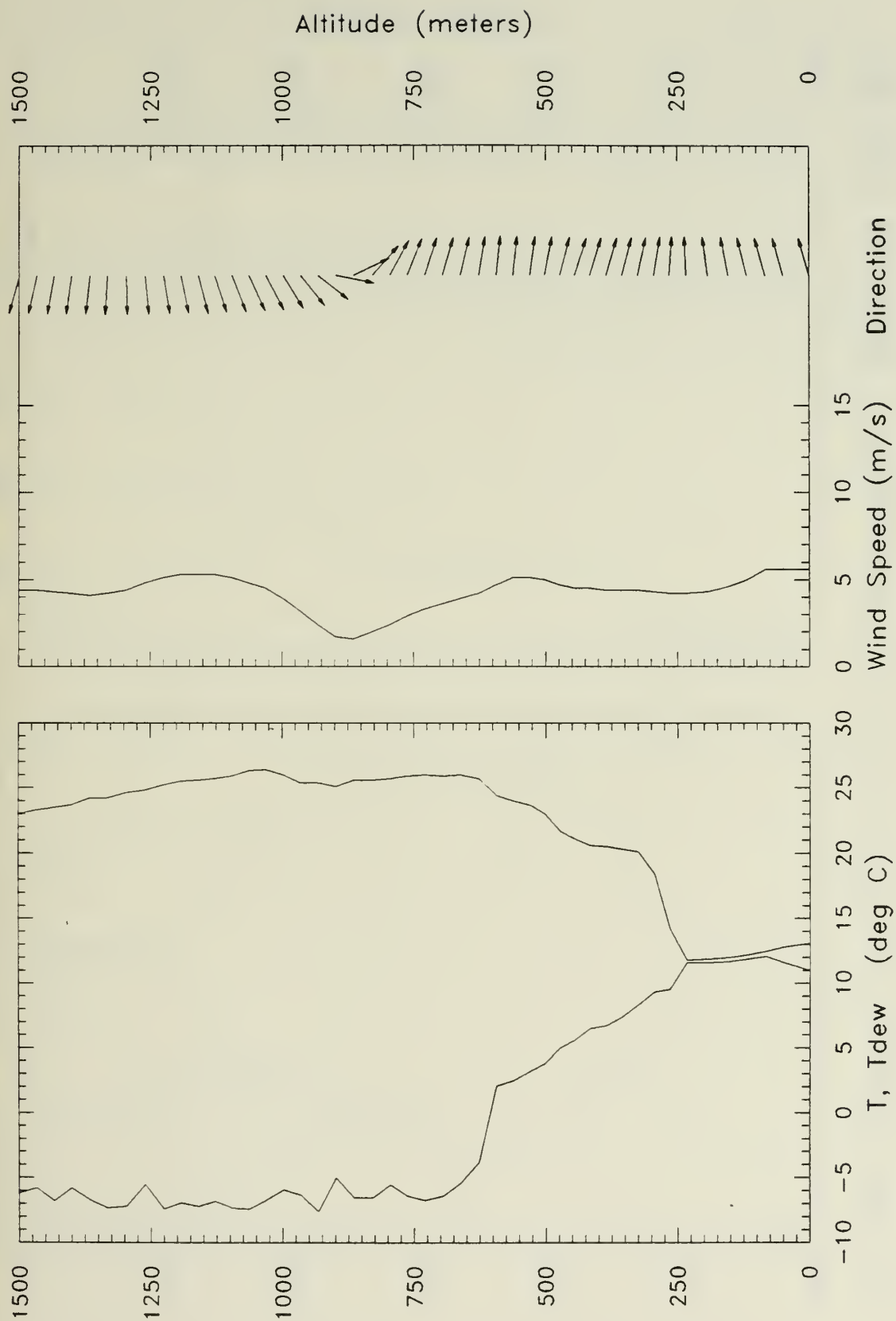
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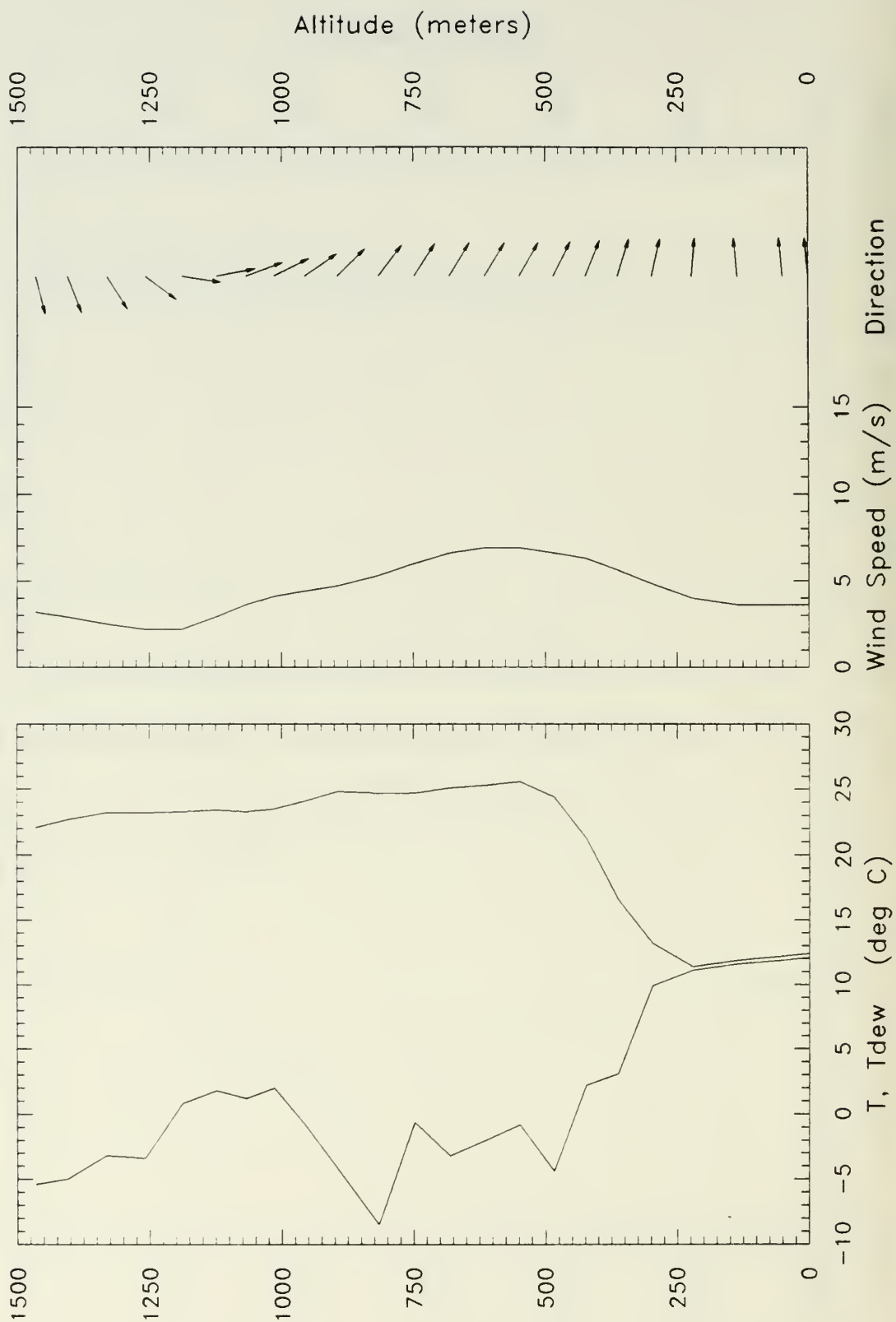
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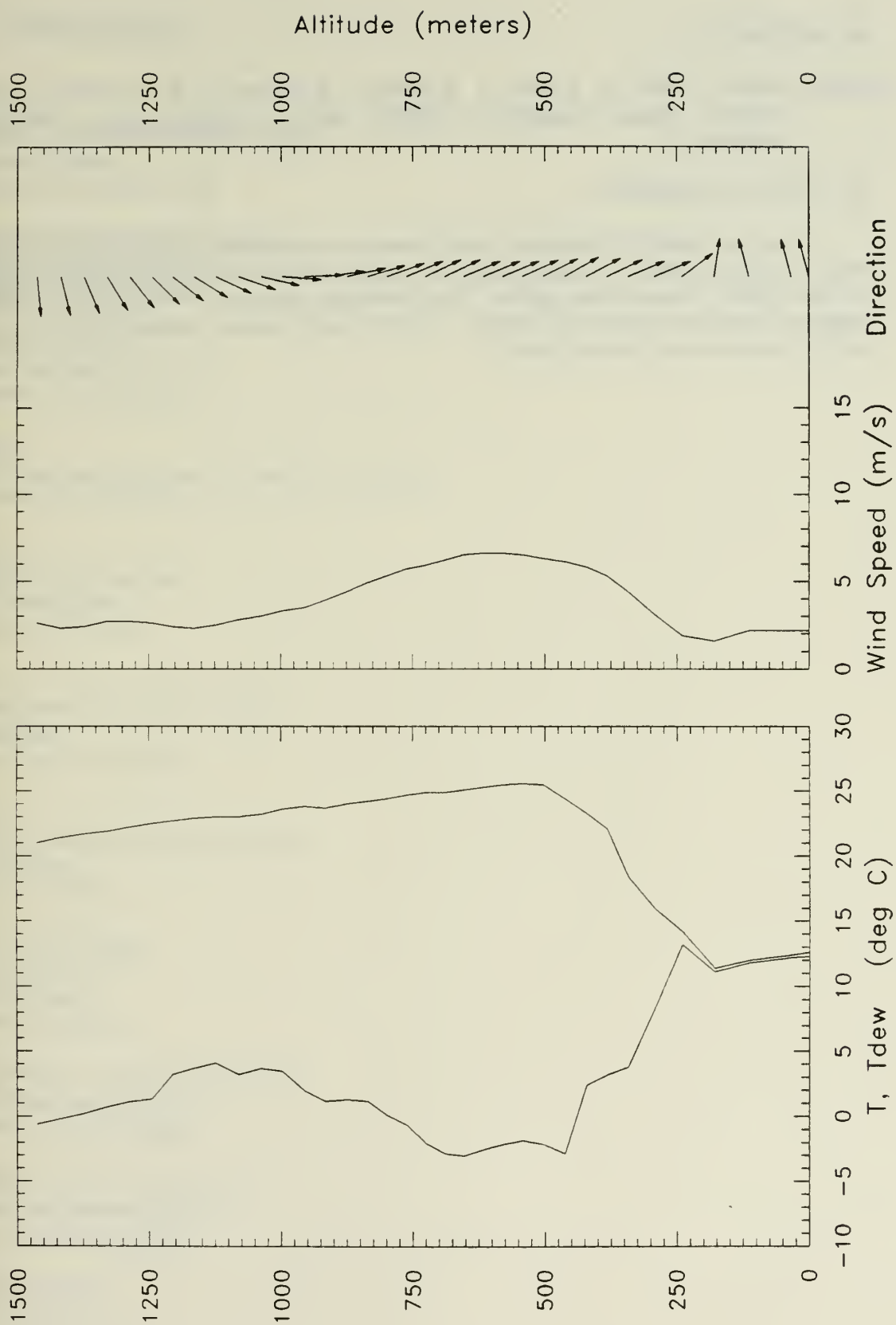
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R/V Silver Prince: 0.1 km S, 11.4 km W of Moss Landing - 29 SEP 87 17:48 PST



R/V Silver Prince: 0.0 km N, 11.4 km W of Moss Landing - 29 SEP 87 19:54 PST



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